EL PASO IS GUARDED AGAINST MEXICANS

The Weather

Oakland, vicinity and Santa Clara Co: Increasing cloudiness tonight and Friday; light west wind.

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NEW BOND IS NEED OF COOLEY

City Treasurer Is in a Peculiar Situation as to Guaranty

License Is Withdrawn From Co., Making Matter Difficult

An embarassing situation has arisen in Oakland as a result of the withdrawal by the state of California of the license of the Commonwealth Bonding and Casualty Company. This company has carried the bond of City Treasurer F. A. Cooley in the sum of $100,000.

Cooley announced today that he intended taking out a bond with the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. But it is delared by insurance agents that it will be exceedingly difficult to obtain a new bond, as the new company would be forced to assume a liability for the period during which Cooley has been bonded by the Commonwealth concern. This new company would be unwilling to do without a complete audit of the books, from the time when Cooley succeeded former City Treasurer Edwin Meese, the insurance men declare.

The new administration has experienced some difficulty in the matter of official bonds. The man first selected for city treasurer found it difficult to obtain $100,000 bond, and within a few days' time when the appointments were to be made by the new council, the "slate" was switched to make Cooley city treasurer. There was then some doubt about the bond of the Commonwealth concern being satisfactory, as it was known among bond and insurance men that the company was in a peculiar position and had been investigated by the insurance commissioner.

ASSURANCE GIVEN CLAY.

Asked why he had accepted the Commonwealth Company's bond as sufficient, City Auditor I. H. Clay stated today that he had corresponded with State Insurance Commissioner J. E. Phelps at the time, and had been assured that he would be safe at that time in doing so.

Cooley has taken the matter up with Mayor Davie and Commissioner of Revenue and Finance Edwards. An effort will be made to get the new bond as soon as possible.

It is known that reputable bonding companies are chary of accepting a risk for an unexpired term, however, and Cooley may find that there will be considerable delay in this matter. City Treasurer Cooley went into the office unfamiliar with its workings. He was entirely dependent for the first two months or more upon the subordinates in the treasurer's office, and even now, according to his statement to the civil service board, is practically in the hands of the men under him. The men of the department have owed their loyltay, in a measure, to the former political administration. But they are recognized as men of ability and integrity. The fact that Cooley had been practically at their mercy for the past two months will be considered, however, by a bonding company accepting him as a risk.

The city treasurer is responsible at times for sums ranging into several million dollars. It is on this account that the suff bond of $100,000 is demanded.

It is thought probable that the new

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Regents Contest for Share of Keith Estate

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—The battle of the regents of the University of California to obtain $145,000 from the estate of the late John M. Keith, to apply on the subscription fund for the erection of a hospital and training school for nurses, was begun before Superior Judge Seawell today. Dr. Wallace I Terry testified that institutions were not only a necessity, but were indispensable as an aid to the college work. The $145,000 was subscribed by Keith with the understanding that $600,000 was to be raised. The Keith heirs claim that although the amount has been realized, the subscriptions to make up the $600,000 were not a portion of those originally obtained.

The Keith estate has been engaged in litigation also with Dr. Sarah J. Tedford, sponsor for Louise K. Thompson, claiming to be a daughter of the decedent.

Cripple and Child Victim of Flames

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 23.—Slater Harris, 36, a cripple from paralysis, and his three-year-old niece, Marguerite Corsan, were burned to death last night in a fire which destroyed the Corsan home at Alhambra, a suburb. Four other children of the Corsans were rescued by neighbors, one of whom, Mrs. John Carroll, was severely burned while thus engaged. The parents were away at the time.

Aeroplanes Drop Bomb on Swiss Farm: Berne

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Sept. 23.—Two German aeroplanes flew over Swiss territory between Couffenay and Porrentry and dropped a bomb near the Cras Dermont farm, injuring a child, according to newspaper dispatches from Berne.

Russians Fall in Dvinsk Drive

Slow as a Judge Their Future Pace

Lads Tune Speedometers With That of Court

Judge F. B. Ogden, sitting in the Juvenile Court this morning, combined law, philosophy and philanthropy when six youths appeared before him and frankly confessed to having shattered the speed laws on the county's smoothest and most tempting highways.

"Boys, I don't blame you for speeding," the judge beamed down at the six penitents. "You know, when I go out in my automobile, I have to watch the speedometer pretty closely or I catch myself sending the car ahead a little faster and a little faster and I am often on the verge of breaking the law.

"I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll promise not to speed if you'll make me the same promise!"

"You're on, judge," called the six, in unison, and they were permitted to return to their homes.

MEXICANS IN FORCE AT JUAREZ

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 23.—General Francisco Villa reached Juarez today, according to what is believed to be good authority. His arrival was masked with considerable secrecy and was denied in Juarez.

By Associated Press.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 23.—This city today was under the strongest military guard in years. Doubled provost guards were stationed at the two border bridges and patrols in the downtown Mexican districts.

Military authorities today received War Department orders to turn back any Mexican military men seeking to cross the international line. The extraordinary precautions were said to be due to the continuous arrival of troops at Juarez, across the Rio Grande. About 8000 troops are said to have reached Juarez within the last two days. Some of these, however, have moved westward to the Casas Grandes district. General Villa's special car and a number of military trains were detained south of Juarez, it was reported, because of lack of fuel.

Captain Holguin of the Villa forces was deported today, pursuant to War Department instructions. Holguin is said to have borne a commission from General Ornelas of the Juarez garrison to proceed to Sierra Blanca and there cross the border to urge a party of the late General Orozco's followers to join Villa. It is said he accomplished his purpose and returned to Sierra Blanca en route to resume his command at Ojinaga, but was arrested by the Thirteenth cavalry and sent to El Paso and deported.

ANARCHY THREATENED.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Publication today of a warning by Boque Gonzales Garza that recognition of General Carranza by the American nations would bring on anarchy in Mexico, brought sharply to the attention of official Washington the fight the Villa element is expected to make on any Mexican pacification plan which the Villa and Zapata elements have accepted at the invitation of the Pan-American conferees.

Recognition of Carranza, Garza declares, would result in a situation that would be terrible in its consequences and he urges that the convention be held to establish a provisionel government regardless of Carranza's refusal to participate. He says that Carranza, next to Huerta, is the most hated men in Mexico, and predicts that, if recognized he would prove his incapacity in a month.

RANSOM FOR McCABE.

By Associated Press.

EL PASO, Sept. 23.—Ten thousand pesos in Mexican national currency, valued at $2000 in United States currency, is en route south for ransom for C. P. Fuller, manager of the Cudahy ranch at Santo Domingo, kidnaped by bandits several days ago with his foreman, McCabe. Mrs. Fuller and McCabe reached here today from Villa Ahumanda.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—A later message from El Paso said McCabe had been released by his captors and sent to El Paso with a demand that he return with $2000 in gold or 10,000 pesos in national bank notes as ransom for Fuller. McCabe has reached El Paso, accompanied by Mrs. Fuller.

AMERICA GAINS CONCESSIONS IN SUBMARINE WAR

Important Diplomatic Victory Won in Controversy Over Frye Attack

RIGHTS ON SEA CONCEDED

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23. — Germany's latest note on the sinking of the American sailing ship William P. Frye, made public today by the State Department, discloses an important diplomatic victory for the United States.

Germany accepts the proposal to fix damages by commission and to let The Hague pass upon disputed treaty rights involved. She also gives assurances that no more American ships carrying conditional contraband will be destroyed under any circumstances.

American ships carrying contraband, however, still may be destroyed. What effect this can have in practical operation is problematical, because England and Germany in their retaliations have made absolute contraband practically everything which was conditional under the Declaration of London.

One thing seemed certain to officials — German naval commanders now are ordered to exercise the rights of visit and search with respect to all American ships to determine what cargo the vessels carry, thus making it practically sure that none will be attacked without warning or ample time for passengers and crew to be transferred irrespective of the cargo.

RIGHT TO DESTROY.

As for absolute contraband, such as arms and ammunition, Germany states in its note that "it must reserve to itself the right to destroy vessels carrying absolute contraband wherever such destruction is permissible, according to the provisions of the Declaration of London.

The German note is regarded by officials as evidencing a more friendly spirit on the part of the German foreign office. Following months of strained relations between the two countries, it was received as a very favorable development.

It practically insures American vessels against attack without warning, and even in the event that they are carrying absolute contraband, passengers and crew are bound, according to the Declaration of London, to be removed before there is any destruction, which can occur only in the event of extreme necessity.

GERMANY'S ANSWER.

The note follows:

"With regard first to the ascertainment of the damage by experts, the German government believes that it should dispense with the nomination of an umpire. In the cases of the ascertainment of damages hitherto arranged between the German government and a neutral government from similar cause, the experts named by the two parties have always reached an agreement as to the amount of the damage without difficulty, should it not be possible, however, to reach an agreement on some point, it could probably be settled by diplomatic negotiations. Assuming that the American government agrees to this, the German government names as its expert Dr. Kepny of Bremen, director of the North German Lloyd. It begs to await the designation of the American expert.

"The German government declares that it agrees to the proposal of the American government to separate the question of indemnity from the question of the interpretation of the Prussian-American treaties of 1785, 1799 and 1828. It, therefore, again expressly states that in making payment it does not acknowledge the violation of the treaty as contended by the American side, but it will admit that the settlement of the question of indemnity does not prejudice the arrangement of the differences of opinion concerning the interpretation of the treaty rights, and that this dispute is left to be decided by The Hague tribunal of aribtration.

RELATES TO ARTICLE 52.

"The negotiations relative to the signing of the compromise provided by Article 52 of The Hague arbitration convention would best be conducted between the foreign office and the American embassy at Berlin, in view of the difficulties in the way of instructing the imperial ambassador at Washington. In case the American government agrees, the foreign office, is prepared to submit to the embassy a draft of such a compromise.

"The American government's inquiry whether the German government will govern its naval operations in accordance with the German or the American interpretation of the treaty stipulation in question, pending arbitral proceedings has been carefully considered by the German government. From the standpoint of law and equity it is not prevented in its opinion from proceeding against American ships carrying contraband, according to its interpretation, until the question is settled by arbitration.

MARITIME WAR RULES.

"For the German government does not need to depart from the application of generally recognized rules of the law of maritime war, as the Declaration of London, unless an insofar as an exception based on a treaty is established beyond all doubt. In the case of the present difference of opinion between the German and the American governments such an exception could not be taken to be established except on the ground of the arbitral award. Moreover, the disadvantages to Germany which would ensue from the American interpretation of the treaty stipulations would be so much greater as to be out of proportion to those which the German interpretation would entail for the United States. For, whereas the American interpretation would materially impede Germany in her conduct of warfare, hardly any particular disadvantage to American citizens would result from the German interpretation, since they receive full reparation for any property damage sustained.

"Nevertheless, the German government, in order to furnish to the American government evidence of its conciliatory attitude, has issued orders to the German naval forces not to destroy American merchantmen which have loaded conditional contraband even when the conditions of international law are present, but to permit them to continue their voyage unhindered if it is not possible to take them into port.

"On the other hand, it must reserve to itself the right to destroy vessels carrying absolute contraband, wherever such destruction is permissible, according to the provisions of the Declaration of London."

ELMHURST CITIZENS FACE LIBEL SUIT

The term "rotten rock" is libel, according to Ransome-Crummer Company, and as a result Philip Reilly, Elmhurst real estate man, Mrs. Lucy Barker, member of improvement clubs of the district, and the Elmhurst Board of Trade, are facing a libel suit.

"For airships they are all right, but for automobiles they are too full of Ransome-Crummer's rotten rock," said an article in a paper controlled by the defendants, in referring to East Fourteenth street, which the Ransome-Crummey Company is paving. The company filed suit, alleging libel, for $25,000 today, in the superior court.

Firemen Injured in Wreck; Horses Killed

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—Two firemen were painfully hurt, two fire horses were killed and the hose wagon of engine Company No. 26 was wrecked in a collision with a Sutter-street car at Twenty-fourth avenue and Clement streets at noon today. The injured are Dennis McAuliffe, hoseman, sprain and contusion left knee, lacerated scalp, abrasion of left eye; Lieutenant M. J. McLaughlin, bruises and abrasions of the body.

The fire company was responding to an alarm at Twenty-fourth avenue and Lake street, when the collision occurred. The injured men were treated at the Park hospital.

Haitiens Again Fire on American Forces

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23 — General Rameau, commanding a force of 500 Haitien natives in the vicinity of Gonaives, after an encounter with American marines who were opening the railroad for food supplies, has again agreed to stop molesting the railroad and telegraph line and permit food supplies to reach the town.

Major Smedley D. Butler, with fifty marines and sailors, left Gonaives Tuesday morning for Poteau. About half a mile from town the column was fired upon from the bushes. Firing occurred at two other points during the advance. No firing was done by the American forces until they had been fired upon. One Haitien was killed. There were no casualties to the American forces.

GERMANS PENETRATE POSITIONS

2000 Russians Are Made Prisoners in New Campaign

Reinforcements Sent by Kaiser to Belgium District

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 23. 1 p. m., via London, 4:05 p. m.—The Russian military authorities regard the withdrawal from the very difficult position near Vilna, which for a time seriously menaced a large army, as virtually completed. They assert the Germans have lost 250,000 men in their recent operations in this region.

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, via London, Sept. 23.—The new German offensive movement with its object the capture of the important Russian fortified city of Dvinsk has made definite progress. The war office announced today that the Russian advanced positions west of the city had been penetrated and that more than 2000 prisoners and several machine guns had been captured.

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Sept. 23 (by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—A new army of 110,000 men has been sent to the assistance of the allied forces at the Dardanelles, according to the Overseas News Agency.

DVINSK GERMAN OBJECTIVE

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—The strongly fortified Russian city of Dvinsk, on the Dvina, 110 miles southeast of Riga, has become the new German objective now that the Russian armies apparently have escaped from the Vilna net. The German forces east and southeast of Lida are now making more rapid progress, but their increased speed at this time is expected to gain them little in view of the fact that the safe retreat of the greater part of the Russian forces now seem to be assured.

The chief success of the Germans in the last day or two has been along the Dvina front, which bars the road to Petrograd. Southwest of Dvinsk the invaders captured Russian trenches on a front of nearly two miles, taking 2000 prisoners and eight machine guns. Further down the river, near Friedrichstadt, the Russians have gained a minor success.

For the time being the domestic situation in Russia is quiesent. The strike in protest at the prorogation of the Duma has been suspended, but may be revived if the government persists in its opposition to the movement in favor of reassembling parliament and permitting the formation of a new cabinet.

Along the western front the French report destruction of a German patrol in Champagne. Berlin states that the patrol was withdrawn after destroying French works.

Mobilization of Bulgarian forces continues to excite keen interest, but the belligerent as well as the neutral world seems to be in the dark as to the purpose which dictates this movement.

GERMANS CLASH IN FRANCE

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Sept. 23.—The violent artillery fighting which has characterized the operations in France for more than three weeks past was continued yesterday, and last night a number of places along the battle line, according to an announcement given out this afternoon by the French war office. The engagements were particularly severe near Rocklincourt and to the north and south of the River Avre.

The text of the communication follows:

"In the Artois district the enemy last night bombarded violently the sector of Rocklincourt, as well as our trenches located to the south of the river Scarpe in the department of Pas de Calais. Our artillery responded vigorously. There have been some engagements in the region of Neuville. Our artillery has directed an intense and efficacious fire against the German trenches to the north and south of the river Avre, as well as upon Beuvraignes.

"In the Champagne district a

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SUPERVISORS PLAN BUYING OF DELGER COURTHOUSE SITE

Explosion Rocks Court and Jail

Nerves and Windows Badly Shattered

Nerves and windows were shattered in the courthouse this morning when workmen who are excavating for the addition to be erected at the northwest corner used black powder to blast out a thick floor of concrete which covers the yard at this point. The blasts came without warning.

Four deputy sheriffs rushed from the county jail with drawn revolvers; District Attorney Hynes called for assistance; eight Superior Court judges trembled for their lives and a score of attorneys were temporarily rendered nerveless as the first blast went off. Windows in Treat's private office, on the top floor of the courthouse, were shattered, some of the broken glass falling on his desk in front of the district attorney.

ROCKEFELLER FOR EQUAL RIGHTS

By Associated Press.

ROUSE, Colo., Sept. 23.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., today stated flatly that the Colorado Fuel & Iron company does not care whether its miners belong to a union or not. The statement was made in a conference between Rockefeller, David Griffiths, grievance mediator of the company, and C. A. Mitchell, grievance representative of the Rouse miners. Mitchell is a negro.

In the course of the conference, which was in the open air under a sizzling sun, somebody asked Mitchell whether members of the United Mine Workers came to him with their grievances against the company. "I don't remember that any union men have complained since I was elected representative," said Mitchell.

"I don't believe Mitchell knows whether they are union men or not," broke in Rockefeller. "I'm quite sure the officers of the company don't, and let me tell you, the Colorado Fuel & Iron company does not care whether its men belong to the union or not.

"Look here," he flashed, turning to Griffiths, "do you make any distinction between union and non-union men in settling the grievances appealed to you by the miners?"

"I certainly don't," replied Griffiths.

"Are not all the men treated alike as long as they are willing to work and behave themselves?" persisted Rockefeller.

"Yes," Griffiths answered.

ASK FOR CONFERENCE.

Rockefeller today had his first meeting with the Griffiths, who was selected as the company's mediator when the plan of dealing with labor grievances through representatives of the men was inaugurated several months ago. Immediately Rockefeller announced that he wanted to confer with Griffiths in the presence of the labor representative. So the pit boss was ordered to find Mitchell, who was working a mile inside the mine. Mitchell was produced and the conference began. Rockefeller, coatless and with hat pushed back from his perspiring brow, shot rapid fire questions at Griffiths and Mitchell in turn.

"How do you happen to be the grievance representative of the men" he asked Mitchell.

"They elected me, suh," replied the negro, grinning with pride.

"How did they elect you"

"At a mass meeting."

"Mass meeting of whom?"

"Of all of the men at the camp suh."

"Any company officers there?" Rockefeller bored in.

"Oh, no, suh!"

"How do the men feel? Free to come to you with any complaint they have against the company?"

"Yes, dey does," Mitchell replied.

"Do you sometimes find that the foreman or the pit boss has been in the wrong and treated a man unjustly?" persisted Rockefeller.

"Oh, yes, suh, and when dey has I go to Mistah Griffiths and he fixes it up."

WHIRLS ON GRIFFITHS.

Rockefeller whirled on Griffiths:

"Do these grievance representatives ever have to take anything over your head to the president of the company?" he demanded.

"They never have yet," placidly responded Griffiths. "Usually the grievance is adjusted with the superintendent without even reaching me."

"How do these complaints reach you?"

"Well, I go from camp to camp myself and talk to these grievance representatives," said Griffiths.

"Don't you wait for them to send for you"

"No! on your life I don't. I hunt them up and ask them if anything is the matter between them and the miners. That's what you hired me for, isn't it?"

By this time a crowd of miners was standing around with no noticeable excitement at the man who is reputed to control the big corporation for which they work.

"Well, let's look at something else," remarked Rockefeller, and with Griffiths on one side and Mitchell on the other he strolled across the camp carrying his coat over his arm.

Having concluded his inspection Rockefeller and party drove to Lister camps for lunch.

RETAINS HIS INTEREST.

Rockefeller visited the properties of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company here today, the second anniversary of the calling of the coal miners' strike, after spending the night at Walsenburg. He conferred with Griffiths and members of the camp grievance committee relative to living and working conditions.

The Rockefeller party arrived last

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RESOLUTION PAVES WAY TO ACT

First Step Taken at Session of Board This Morning

Election Call Prepared for Coming State Election

A resolution setting forth the intention of the board of supervisors to purchase, as a site for a new courthouse and hall of records, the Delger property, bounded by Nineteenth and Williams street and Telegraph avenue, was passed this morning by the board as the first step in the agitation, which has been brewing for some years, for a new county building. Public hearings on the project was set for Monday, October 21.

The land was offered some time ago, through the Piedmont Building Association, with Frank J. Woodward, Oakland capitalist, appearing as attorney in fact. At this time a large petition, signed by business men of Oakland and urging the petition, was filed.

The price of the site is $350,000. It is, according to the offer, to be paid in installments extending until 1919. The price, according to Leon S. Clark, who appeared as an attorney in the matter, is less than market value.

CLARK MAKES OFFER.

The offer was made by Leon Clark, representing the Piedmont Building Association.

"The consideration is $350,000, less than its market value," he said. "The payment will be extended over a number of years, to extend to January, 1919. I have here an official order. The property known as the Delger property, is twice the size of the lot on which the hall of records is situated, on Telegraph, Williams and Nineteenth streets. The property is one of the choicest in the city. The deed will be placed in escrow in the Oakland Bank of Savings until the final payment."

Frank J. Woodward appeared as attorney in fact.

"The offer," said Clark, "puts the county in the position of obtaining the land at a very reasonable figure. If you condemned the cost would be far higher; you remember the experience with Buy Schmidt when I was in the district attorney's office.

"Something must be done now to relieve conditions here. There is fire danger and work here is under bad conditions. It has been said that if you abandoned this site it would revert to the city.

TITLE IS CLEAR.

"I want to disabuse your minds on this point. I call to your attention the Theresa Casserly suit, when she claimed this property. The court held that the county owned the land in fee simple—or has the right to use it in any way or sell it. I have a complete report on the case. Judge Ellsworth tried it. I ask that this report be placed on your record.

"I would ask that you pass resolution of intention to purchase and selling Monday, October 21, as the time of hearing the sentiment of the people. The sentiment is strong that you need better facilities for county business. No county in the state needs it more."

"This is a resolution of intention, to put us in a position to hear the people's sentiment. So I move that it be adopted.

"I second it," said Foss.

"I am opposed, until I see what can be done with this property, where the money is coming from and what the people think," said Heyer.

"We have no money. We cannot fulfill our promise to buy. Let it some before the people. If we can sell here and get that money, all right. We can put new buildings on this site."

CITES ROAD WORK.

I seconded this to get it argued," said Foss. "I don't hear any complaint when we extend any fine roads into the country. The people want to pay as they go. A small tax, 2 or 3 cents a year, would take care of it and keep it on a cash basis.

"Surely there should be something done here. Let us progress!"

"Who uses the roads?" asked Murphy. "Ninety per cent of the city people do. Your people depend on the country."

"This is not personal," said Foss.

"I take it so," said Murphy, "and I oppose this."

"We all are for roads," said Kelley. "We think them essential. This is another demand for a necessity.

"Certainly," said Foss. "We want city and country to co-operate."

NO BOND ISSUE.

"I don't want a bond issue, but do want the people's views," said Heyer. "You want a new courthouse, and a new hospital in the city, and then will come a city and county of Oakland and cut us out."

The motion was carried, Foss, Mullins and Kelley voting in favor and Murphy and Heyer against the resolution.

The terms of purchase provide for payments as follows: Thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars on or before October 21, 1915, $50,000 on or before January 2, 1916, $87,500 on or before Jan-

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ARMEN WAIT ECOND REPLY FROM O. T.

ficials of Union Taking No Further Action Till Word Is Received From Co.

Officials of the Carmen's Union are y awaiting an answer to their ond letter to the executive heads the San Francisco-Oakland Ter- al Railways, asking for a con- nce on the questions which caused union men a week ago to vote at unanimously to strike unless were satisfactorily adjusted. The r was sent yesterday and no an- has yet been received.

his second letter was addressed to rge K. Weeks, president of the oration. The first had been sent George H. Harris, the general eriatendent, but in the answer to missive Weeks requested that all re correspondence in the matter directed to him. The traction of- als had no statement to give out y.

he situation remains practically hanged since yesterday. The union are pursuing a policy of "watch- waiting."

Nothing further will take place the company officials have had cient time in which to answer this ond letter," Benjamin F. Bowbeer, national representative of the on employes, said today. "We will them a reasonable time in which nswer."

"What do you consider a 'reason- time'?" was asked.

"Well, that's hard to say now," e the answer. "The grievance mittee will decide that. The letter President Weeks was not sent ough the mail. It was taken to his e in person yesterday and an er should be in course of prepa- on right now."

STATEMENT ISSUED.

esident Weeks of the Key system this morning:

"I regret that in connection with the strike agitation a great many reports regarding the atti- de of the company have gained rency which are without undation in fact. The tendency some of these reports has been aggravate a situation which it unquestionably in the public interest to smooth down rather han to stir up. Realizing this ondition, and in order to assure eliberation and care on the part the officers of the railway the ule was established immediately r the meeting of the carmen Thursday night that no one hould be authorized to speak for e company in this matter ex- ept myself as president and that y statements made for publica- n should be in writing. I trust at the public will be patient nd will realize that if we do not e out full information regard- g every incident as it trans- es, it is only because we hope at better results can be obtained postponing this publicity until e situation develops more fully. have received this morning a long communication from a committee of the Carmen's Union. This will be given the same careful consideration that we aim to give all communications dealing with the relations between this company and its employes."

U.S. Consulate Hit By Airmen's Bomb

French Aviator Hurls Destruction at City of Stuttgart

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The American consulate at Stuttgart, Germany, was struck by a fragment of a bomb during the recent raid upon that place by French airmen, according to a message today from Consul Higgins. He said no one in the consulate was injured, but did not indicate whether the building was greatly damaged.

PLAN PURCHASE OF DELGER SITE

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uary 2, 1917, $67,500 on or before January 2, 1918, and $57,500 on or before January 2, 1919.

Hearing will be held October 21, when definite final action will be taken.

ISSUE PROCLAMATION.

Formal election proclamation for the coming constitutional amendment was made by the board this morning. The election takes place October 26. The proclamation will contain all issues to be voted on, and the election precincts.

OPPOSE PUBLICITY.

Request from the State Board of Charities and Corrections urging that the name of indigent children be not published. This was filed, such names never being made public in this county.

"We always have withheld these, to give these children a chance," said Mullins.

Report of the finances of the Skyline Boulevard celebration was filed by the committee. The sum of $330 was spent out of the $500 appropriation.

GIVEN APPROPRIATION.

Requesting an appropriation for reception of the International Council of Women was filed by the Alameda County Auxiliary of the women's board of the exposition. The sum of $100 was asked. A luncheon at Hotel Oakland, auto rides under the auspices of the Commercial Club, on November 5. On motion of Supervisor Mullins this was granted.

ASK FINANCIAL AID.

Financial aid for the Tourist Association was requested by E. D. Moore, managing director of that body, and referred to the committee of the whole. Request for lamps in the Buena Vista district near Hayward was made by residents and referred to the committee.

TO RECEIVE OFFERS.

Announcement was authorized that proffers for sites for the proposed new hospital will be received up to October 4.

Alice Gilmore was named assistant purchasing agent at a salary of $50 per month.

The Daahl-Thoms Company was awarded contract for election tents for the election of October 26. The Lyon Storage Company was awarded the furnishing contract. The tents will be rented at $5.45 apiece, and the chairs, lamps, etc., will be rented at $2.35 per precinct.

SLAVS TAKEN IN DVINSK CAMPAIGN

Germans Penetrate Advance Positions, Reinforce Belgium Troops.

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German mine was exploded yesterday to the northwest of Perthes, but without causing important damage. The fire of our batteries resulted in the blowing up of several depots of German ammunition."

TEUTONS ARE REINFORCED

By Associated Press.

ROTTERDAM, via London, Sept. 23.—During the last week the German positions in Belgium have been heavily reinforced, while the fortifications at Lille, in France, have been restored and strengthened.

It is reported here that these precautions have been taken in anticipation of a possible general offensive on the part of the entente allies along the western line before the autumn rains begin.

ORDER 28 CLASSES OF TROOPS

By Associated Press.

ATHENS, via London, Sept. 23.—Up to midnight on Wednesday twenty-eight classes of troops had been included in the Bulgarian mobilization order. The news has caused much excitement in Athens and developments in the situation are anxiously awaited here.

SNOW RETARDS FIGHTING

By Associated Press.

LAUSANNE, Switzerland, via Paris, Sept. 23.—Winter snows already are falling in the Alps, rendering still more perilous the work of the Italian and Austrian troops who are at war in the mountains near the border. A correspondent of the Gazette de Lausanne describes the recent battle for possession of the Austrian stronghold on top of Freikofel mountain, 9000 feet high. The attack was made under the most difficult conditions. The Austrians had prepared for an attack from the east. Two battalions of Italian Alpine troops made their way around the mountain and attacked the Austrians from the rear. To reach the summit they were compelled to scale the precipitous side of the mountain, clinging to ropes placed in position by mountaineers. The correspondent states that the Italians captured 250 Austrians and a large quantity of munitions.

Constantinople Affairs Reported Deplorable

By Associated Press.

GENEVA, Switzerland, via Paris, Sept. 23.—A Swiss, who has just returned from Constantinople writes to the Gazette de Lausanne that there is no gas, electricity or candles in the Turkish capital and that conditions of life there are almost intolerable for foreigners. He says that 2000 workmen from the Krupp plant in Germany are idle on account of lack of raw materials.

Ford Plans To Improve Divers

Auto Magnate On Trip Of Inspection

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Henry Ford of Detroit was in New York today to take a trip in one of the submarines at the New York navy yard in furtherance of his promised attempt to perfect a gasoline motor for use in such craft. Mr. Ford said that he did not intend to be submerged in a submarine, but intended to look them over. Secretary Daniels had authorized the commandant of the navy yard to place a submarine at Mr. Ford's disposal for the day.

Navy submarines do not now use gasoline power, but are propelled by oil engines when on the surface and by electric batteries when submerged. Mr. Ford was insistent today that an efficient undersea craft could be built at one-sixteenth the cost of the present vessels. When he was asked how many of them he would suggest building he replied, "None."

British Steamship Groningen Blown Up

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Sept. 23. — The British steamship Groningen, 988 tons gross, has been blown up. One member of the crew lost his life and several others were wounded. The survivors were landed today.

ADDRESSES WOMEN DEMOCRATS.

Assemblyman Milton L. Schmitt of San Francisco was the principal speaker this afternoon at the meeting of the Women's Democratic Club of Alameda county at the Key Route Inn. The session was devoted to discussions on the non-partisan bill which will come up at the next election. Schmitt and several other speakers argued against the measure. Mrs. F. G. Harrison presided.

COOLEY IS FACED BY BOND PROBLEM

Audit May Be Necessary Following Shift in Casualty Company.

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bonding company will not only ask an audit of the books from July 1 of this year to the date of the new bond, but will ask the city council to check this audit, and pass a resolution exonerating the new company from responsibility for anything which may have occurred prior to their assuming the risk. The reason for this is that small mistakes in this department could go unnoticed for several months.

The Commonwealth has made a specialty of underwriting large contracts and big risks. The revocation of the license does not mean that the concern must dispose of all its business in California. It means it will not be allowed to write any new business.

The troubles of the Commonwealth date back to last February, and it was this that caused city officials to feel some doubt of the policy pursued by Cooley in getting his bond from this concern in July. The state examiners examined the company's books at that time and found it was organized under the laws of Arizona, with home offices at Fort Worth, Tex., and doing business for the largest bulk of its risks in California.

The examiners at that time found impairments of $79,000 in the assets of the company, which was capitalized for $300,000, and had total premiums of $222,570.92, of which $202,659.86 was in California business.

Phelps on receiving the report ordered the Commonwealth to make up the impairment in assets at once. The officials of the company promised to convert into cash some assets which the examiner had refused to accept. Affidavits signed by the officials of the Commonwealth, dated March 5 and May 20, stated that they had added $56,250 to the company's cash resources by fulfilling their promise.

HAS UNDERWRITTEN MANY.

The Commonwealth has underwritten large risks for the city of San Fran- ... and all ... in this state as well as for the State of California and for public service corporations.

The Commonwealth is the company that recently undertook to protect the city against financial loss when the United Railroads secured its temporary injunction to prevent most of the municipal cars from running on lower Market street. The Commonwealth presented a bond for $110,000 in behalf of the United Railroads. It was accepted.

The company has done big business with San Francisco. The contracts on the Stockton street railroad and the Mile Rock tunnel were insured in the Commonwealth. These contracts are now completed. The Commonwealth has given performance bond of $21,500 on the Juvenile Detention Home, now under construction, and labor and material bond on the same structure for $46,000.

Autos Bump Like Row of Ninepins

Car on Bridge Hits Rearmost of Six

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — Six automobiles, including a six-seated jitney bus, standing in line when the Webster-street bridge closed were "bumped" in turn last night when a street car, striking the rearmost, sent each against the other like the falling of a row of dominoes. The rear machine, owned by Carl Beckman, Willow street and Lincoln avenue, was badly damaged, and the next, the large jitney, also sustained damage.

The bridge closed last night about 6:20 o'clock to permit a ship to pass. The line of autos stopped suddenly on hearing the bell; the street car, stopping slower, crashing into them. No one was hurt.

DENNISON CLUB TO MEET.

The Dennison East Oakland Club will meet at Settlement Hall, Dennison street, Wednesday, Septemebr 29, at 2:30 in the afternoon. Business of importance will be transacted and a full attendance of members has been requested.

J. D. JR., DISAVOWS UNION PREJUDICES

Tells Grievance Spokesman Company Doesn't Care if Men Belong.

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night after an arduous day's automobile trip, which included stops at the Sopris, Morley and Starkville camps.

Mr. Rockefeller's keen interest in the workers of the mines, the home life and surroundings of the employes there was undiminished. Aside from the close association and discussions with miners of the camps and their wives in their humble homes, Mr. Rockefeller yesterday visited the public school at Sopris. Here Blanche McArthur, 12-year-old daughter of a coal digger recited to the Standard Oil magnate the rudiments of high finance, as the scholars were taught in their operation of a supply store, and a scholars' bank.

"We have a store, too, Mr. Rockefeller," she continued. "It was formed by some of us boys and girls, who each subscribed 10 cents to the capital stock. We buy school supplies—pencils and tablets—at wholesale, and sell them to the pupils. Last year the store paid between 20 and 40 cents dividend on each 10 cents in stock. Don't you think that was doing pretty well, Mr. Rockefeller?"

Rockefeller murmured an assent, apparently overwhelmed at this exhibition of the lottiest of high finance.

At Morley last evening Mr. Rockefeller visited the common bathhouse and came upon a group of miners just from the mines, in various stages of dress and undress. The discussion centered principally upon working conditions and life in the camp.

John R. Lawson, labor leader, whose imprisonment here on a murder charge harks back to the industrial strife of a year ago, talked about the Rockefeller visit.

Rockefeller left Las Animas county and motored northward through a stretch of hilly country, made historic by a succession of battles in the miners' strike of 1913-14. It was expected that the night would be passed at Walzenburg, 45 miles north of Trinidad.

ROOS BROS.' — OAKLAND

LADIES!

YOUR attention is respectfully directed to a large shipment of

Very Beautiful Suits

IN the Newest Fabrics and Smartest Styles—**Elegantly Tailored and Trimmed,** some with fur, others with velvet and braid—That arrived at ROOS' BROS., yesterday and will be placed on sale

TODAY and TOMORROW At $25, $32.50, $35

THEY are in all SIZES including small sizes and **extra large** sizes—undoubtedly one of the largest and most comprehensive displays of **extra quality** Suits for all occasions ever shown in Oakland—see them today, tomorrow or Saturday at the latest.

SPORT WAISTS

WE HAVE just received another shipment of those fascinating **Sport Waists in Pure Silk** in those smart, fancy stripes—They go on sale at **$2.45**

New SILK SWEATERS For Ladies $7.75 See Windows

Roos Bros.

"The House of Courtesy"

CLOTHIERS TO MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

SWEATERS FOR GIRLS FROM $1.50

Market at Stockton SAN FRANCISCO — Washington at 13th OAKLAND

ABRAHAMSON'S

$17.50 **The Suit of the Hour** $17.50

Regular $30.00 value. In ten smart styles for Women and Misses. The leading Fall colors, including black. Made of Whipcord, Gaberdine, Serges and Wool Poplin. See these Smart Suits before making your selection elsewhere.

A BIG PURCHASE SALE OF

SUITS and COATS

For Friday and Saturday Selling

Be one of the lucky ones who will reap the benefit of this big purchase sale of Women's and Misses' Suits and Coats. 160 garments go on sale for Friday and Saturday.

New Plush Coats Fur Trimmed $14.95

Every coat looks like a regular $25.00 value. The smartest style of the season. Come in colors Velour and Black Plush. A variety of smart models to choose from.

Corduroy Coats $9.95

Just the coat for College and School Girls. The coat that will stand the wear and tear and still look well. Guaranteed lining in every coat.

Fur Trimmed Suits $22.50

The greatest Suit Bargain of the season. Every suit a copy of an exclusive model. Come in all the newest models, fifty styles to choose from. All sizes up to 44.

New Cloth Coats

Just received in handsome Broadcloths, Wool Velour, Vicuna and Mixtures, in English and Scotch effects. Many exclusive models in the lot, and only one of a kind. Priced **$15** to **$37.50.**

Children's Coats $7.50

Ages 8 to 14.

New Fall models just unpacked. Many very pretty styles for the little ones. Corduroys, cloths and mixtures, in a great variety of styles.

DRESS HATS $7.50

Very Specially Priced.

Beautiful assortment of high-grade Dress Hats made of Lyons Velvet Hand Blocked trimmed Ostrich, Furs, imported Fancies, Jet, Steel or Novelty Flowers in this season's most desirable shades. Very specially priced, **$7.50.**

Untrimmed Shapes $1.50

Values Range to $3.50

New and desirable shapes in Cossack Turbans, Louis Philippe Poke, Italian Military, Beehive Hats and Mexican Sailors. Values range to $3.50. Specially priced at—$1.50.

Flowers 45c

A very pretty assortment of new novelty flowers in large Velvet and Silk Roses, in colors cerise, golden brown, pink and brass shaded.

Specially priced —45c.

Friday Morning Specials Will Bring Crowds Tomorrow

THESE ITEMS ON SALE 9 TO 12 ONLY

Morning Glove Sale at 87c Pair

9 to 12 only. $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 Kid Gloves, 87c

This lot consists of French Kids and Suedes, in colors white and black, and mostly all sizes. A remarkable morning sale, up to 12 o'clock only. Pair—87c.

25c Hair Bow Ribbon 17c

6-inch pink and blue Silk Taffeta Ribbon—our regular 25c quality. Friday morning, 9 to 12 only. Yard—17c.

35c Ladies' Neckwear 19c

Organdie and Crepe de Chine Novelty Neckwear in about 40 different styles. Friday morning, 9 to 12 only. Each—19c.

Knit Underwear 19c

Values to 25c.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Knit Underwear in Vest, Pants and Tights, and Union Suits—mostly all sizes. Friday morning, 9 to 12 only. Each—19c.

Lace Hose 19c

Ladies' Fancy Lace Hose in black, tan and colors—fine quality yarn. Regular 35c and 50c values. Friday, 9 to 12 only. Pair—19c.

15c and 25c Camisoles and Shadow Lace 10c

Pretty shadow laces in widths from 3 to 5 inches wide; also 1½-inch wide camisoles laces. Values 15c and 25c. Friday morning, 9 to 12 only. Yard—10c.

$1.50 New Fall Corduroys $1.10

New Wale Corduroys, fine finish, suitable for Coats or Suits—all new shades. Regular $1.50. Friday morning, 9 to 12 only. Yard—$1.10.

Novelty Jewelry 25c

50c and 65c Values.

Novelty Jewelry of all kinds—Bracelets, Hat Pins, Necklaces, Brooches, Beauty and Ear Pins, Buckles and Waist Pin Sets. Your choice Friday morning, 9 to 12 only. Ea.—25c.

$2.95 Silk Petticoats $1

Silk messaline and lace trimmed silk mull Petticoats in light and dark colors—9 to 12 only. Values to $2.95 ..... $1.00

Abrahamsons

OAKLAND, CALIF. 13TH & WASHINGTON STS.

Basement Specials

9 to 12 Only

$2.50 value 2-lb. Lambs' Wool Batts. $1.98

$1.35 value Double Bed Comforts, each $1.00

29c value 27-in. Seed Silk, yd. 19c

20c value 45 inch Oil Cloth, dark colors only, yard 12½c

15c value 34-inch Plaid Suitings, yard 10c

50c value 36-inch Sunfast Drapery; all colors, yard 39c

35c value 3x5 White Window Shades, each 15c

7½c value 27-inch Apron Ginghams, yard 5c

15c value White Plisse Crepe, short lengths, yard 9c

Odds and Ends in short lengths Curtain Scrims, yard 5c

REPUBLICANS FIGHT FOR PARTIES

The State Central Committee Urges County Aid Against Non-Partisan Law.

The Republican State Central Committee, through its chairman, Francis V. Keesling, sent out from San Francisco today a letter to the Republicans of California, urging county committees to co-operate with the local state committeemen and calling upon them to participate in an organized effort to maintain party government.

Chairman Keesling states that with reference to the campaign to defeat the non-partisan election law at the October referendum election, it will be necessary to conduct the campaign without sufficient funds to carry on even a necessary educational campaign. He urges all voters to bear in mind and emphasize the fact that there is only one issue involved—namely, "Shall state officers be elected upon a partisan or upon a non-partisan system?" The letter says in part:

To Republicans of California:

At a special election there will be submitted to a vote of the people two bills passed at the recent session of the Legislature, intended to extend the system of non-partisanship now prevailing in municipalities and counties in this State, to all States elective offices. It is claimed that it will only add a few non-political officials to the long list already elected under the non-partisan system, but those "few" in contra-distinction to the "long list already elected" by the non-partisan system, are State officials.

Convinced of the importance of retaining the partisan plan I earnestly advise your co-operation to defeat the non-partisan plan.

You must thoroughly appreciate and emphasize the fact that there is only one issue involved — namely, "Shall State officers be elected upon a partisan or upon a non-partisan system?"

It is claimed for the non-partisan system that it will result in "humane and enlightned administration and in efficient business management." Experience does not sustain the probability of continuous efficient service, much less improvement, by virtue of the non-partisan plan. The present non-partisan direct primary system of election of judges, due to the necessary personal solicitation of votes has certainly not resulted in improving the character of applicants for judicial positions, but on the contrary has dissuaded many good men and it has been a disheartening handicap to those who have been conscientious enough to submit to the present-day method of campaigning. It has also lessened the dignity of and respect for the bench.

TOWN MEETING SYSTEM.

I believe that the proposed non-partisan system could be successful only under conditions similar to the old town meeting system where the attendance of every citizen was probable. Naturally under such a condition the qualifications of each were known to the others. It is improbable that the average citizen of a State so extensive as California will be possessed of facts sufficient to qualify himself to judge the qualifications of a candidate for State office.

Candidates should be selected by parties by some method that will make the party a guarantor of its candidate and fix responsibility. It would afford the people of the State a selection from at least two, and probably more, party candidates.

Parties are dependent upon efficient administration for success and that insures on the average a better class of candidates from which a satisfactory choice may be made than will be afforded under the proposed system. The intelligent voter will not be confined within party lines if his party candidate is unsatisfactory, thereby disposing of the contention that parties inject false issues of federal questions into State elections.

CANDIDATE OBLIGATED.

How would the person of ordinary means make a campaign under the proposed non-partisan system? It would require the support of wealthy friends, or others of influence, and the candidate would be, owing to his human instincts, more or less under obligation to those who contributed to his campaign, and it would be a fruitful field of activity for those seeking domination of government for ulterior purposes. What guarantee would there be, the public having relieved itself of such dominated officials, that the succeeding officials would not be the same? And there may be still another result—selections of candidates for the primaries by parties organized without safeguards of the character intended to be insured by recent legislation directed against boss control. The non-partisan system would annul every reform directed to correct that evil.

The natural result would be that incumbents, by reason of their State-wide acquaintance due to incumbency, would have a tremendous advantage over the non-office-holding candidate.

Finally, with reference to the campaign, it will be necessary to conduct it without sufficient funds to carry on even a necessary educational campaign. County committees, therefore, are urged to co-operate with local state committeemen and organize effort to maintain party government. No doubt some assistance will be afforded by the joint committee having the referendum campaign in charge. F. V. KEESLING, Chairman Republican State Central Committee.

BANKERS PONDER OVER WAR LOAN

Members of Anglo - French Commission Continue Deliberations.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23 — The six members of the joint Anglo-French financial commission continued today their deliberations over the proposed $500,000,000 loan to Great Britain and France in the hope of concluding this week their conversations with American financiers and of being able to announce not later than Saturday that the loan would be floated.

The celerity with which negotiations had proceeded toward this goal apparently had been checked yesterday. With the commission meeting in continuous session from 10 a. m. until early today, and with their American associates declining to comment on the situation, Wall Street fell to theorizing as to whether there had been a hitch in negotiations, and if this on what points.

END 14-HOUR SESSION.

At the conclusion of the fourteen-hour meeting early this morning, the commissioners, wearied, sought rest, without stating whether their deliberations would be continued today. Word was sent down there was nothing whatever to be said in their behalf on any of the somewhat disturbing reports current in Wall Street earlier in the day.

For the first time since the negotiations began, certain bankers were inclined to doubt whether the loan would exceed $500,000,000. These bankers failed also to share the commission's reported opinion that the big issue would be eagerly taken by American investors at a five per cent interest rate. In some quarters there was a growing demand that the rate be made five and one-half per cent, or that the bonds be offered to investors at less than par, in order that they might be placed on the same attractive plans as certain high class railroad and industrial domestic bonds.

INTEREST RATE FIXED.

The proposal that the interest rate be fixed at five per cent, it was said today, was the commission's suggestion and had been firmly adhered to in the face of many attempts by some American bankers to have the rate increased.

Another matter upon which much was believed to depend was whether Russia would participate in the loan. No authentic word as to this had been forthcoming to the present.

Japanese Parliament Members Found Guilty

By Associated Press.

TOKIO, Sept. 23.—A preliminary court has found K. Hayashida, secretary of the lower house of Parliament, and four members and thirteen former members of the house guilty of bribery in connection with an attempt to induce the Opposition to support the army bill. All the convicted men were remanded for trial.

The court found that Viscount Kanetake Cura, former Minister of the Interior, had handed 40,000 yen ($20,000) to M. Hayashida to bribe the Opposition. It is believed that Viscount Oura will not be prosecuted.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Alleging desertion, Alice Matraia today filed suit for divorce against Benedict Matraia. The complaint set forth that the couple had been separated for some time past.

GEOGRAPHERS TO MEET AT COLLEGE

Teachers Will Hold Session Tomorrow at Mills; Discussion Planned.

For the purpose of promoting the "new geography," the Bay Council of Geography Teachers, organized at the National Education Association last August, will meet tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at Science hall, Mills College. Prof Earle G. Linsley will then conduct discussion as to how the study of and interest in geography may be increased.

Methods of presenting facts that should be common knowledge of all in regard to the relations of the earth, sun and moon will principally occupy the meeting. Several novel devices by which these relations are brought out mechanically will be shown, among them the Matlick Tellurian. This invention was the work of Isaac Newton Matlick who spent thirty years perfecting the instrument and then died at the Providence hospital with it nearly completed. Since then $50,000 has been spent by others in perfecting its parts.

The movement to foster a wider acquaintance with the science of the "new geography," though so recently launched here, is being taken up rapidly by the Alameda county teachers, and is receiving public approval because it has been agreed throughout the country that the teaching of this subject has been a failure in American schools because clear ideas as to its proper content do not prevail among instructors. Another factor that has operated against it has been a lack of real enthusiasm.

The subject is to be taken up at the coming meeting is considered one that especially gives trouble to both teacher and pupil in grades and high schools.

At the close of the session the teachers will be guests of Mills College for a social time. They will leave from Thirteenth and Broadway, Oakland, in a body on the car going east to Mills at 7.15 o'clock. Geographers not teachers as well as others who are interested have been extended an invitation to attend.

The officers of the council besides Prof. Linsley, who is chairman, are Miss Lucile Hewitt of Alameda high school, secretary; Prof. R. S. Holway of the University of California, Dr. H. W. Fairbanks of Berkeley, Dr. C. W. Childs of Oakland and Dr. Roy Dickerson, Mission High School, San Francisco, are members of a committee to promote the council interests in the bay region.

Sulphuric Acid Forms U. S. Basis of Scandal

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Sept. 23, 1:06 p. m.—Great prominence is given by the Globe today to what it describes as the scandal of sulphuric acid."

"In the spring of this year," says the Globe, "the firm of C. Tennant Sons and Company, remotely connected in a family sense with a member of the Cabinet, was commissioned to buy large quantities of sulphuric acid in America.

The Globe asserts that the methods employed in the shipment of acids were so defective that hundreds of thousands of pounds were lost.

It is said ships were damaged by escaping acid, which released noxious gases endangering the health of the crews. In one case, according to the newspaper the crew declined to leave on a perilous trip and the ship was held up in New York for two months. Two steamships have been damaged so badly that there was nothing to do but to buy them at a cost of $300,000.

Russia Lifts Embargo on Exports to U. S.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The formal agreement lifting the Russian embargo against exports to the United States has been signed by Secretary Lansing and George Bakhmeteff, the Russian ambassador. Russian goods will be allowed to come to the United States consigned to the secretary of commerce, on condition that the Russian government is given satisfactory guarantees that the merchandise will not reach her enemies.

American firms much give bond covering the value of shipments. If any part of such goods is exported the bond will be forfeited.

The arrangement is expected to release millions of dollars' worth of goods to American exporters held up since the beginning of the war.

After War Boycotts Discussed in Italy

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Sept. 23.—"Particulars of the Franco-Italian economic conference at Cernobbio, Italy, are beginning to leak out," says the Overseas News Agency today. "The chief subject of discussion was a boycott of German commerce after the war to be accomplished by providing direct lines of communication from England to Italy via Marseilles and Genoa, thus doing away with the present system of international traffic and shutting out the German railways. A realization of this plan means serious damage to Switzerland, as that country is the connecting link in the north and south route."

DRIVE OUT MEXICANS.

By Associated Press.

SEATTLE, Sept. 22.—The steamer Al Ki has brought news that 50 Mexican cannery hands were driven out of Wrangell, Southeastern Alaska, last week, by a vigilance committee. The Mexicans had been drinking and disorderly ever since being paid off by their cannery, and the feeling against them was brought to a head when one of them stabbed Oscar Carlson, chief of the fire department.

FIRE DESTROYS MILL; MYSTERY.

By Associated Press.

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 23.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the Lindstrom Hanforth Lumber Company's mill at Rainier last night. The loss amounted to $100,000. The mill had a daily capacity of 50,000 feet and had been operating regularly. The buildings burned included a shingle mill, sawmill and lumber shed. About 5,000,000 feet of lumber was destroyed.

SUES FOR FIRE LOSS.

Claiming $344, as fire damage, Thomas Taylor, owner of a store at Forty-first avenue and Foothill Boulevard, today filed suit in the Superior Court against the Northwest National Insurance Company. Taylor declares that he paid $15 for a $1000 policy, and that fire in his store April 23, 1915, did the damage he claimed. He alleges that the insurance company has taken no steps toward payment.

CARTRIDGE EXPLODES.

An exploding cartridge inflicted severe injuries about the face last night to E. Bindrom of Berkeley. The man was shooting in a downtown gallery when the accident occurred. A weak breech-block gave way and the explosion sent bits of copper into his face. He was treated at the Emergency hospital.

HURT BY AUTOMOBILE.

Struck by an automobile last night at Twentieth and Webster streets, George Armemyiyco, 2715 West street, sustained a broken kneecap and other injuries. He was treated at the Emergency hospital.

Pacific Mail Soon to Liquidate Debts

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Compay, which recently sold most of its vessels, has issued a call for a special meeting of stockholders on October 13 for the purpose of liquidating its assets, it was announced yesterday. Assistant Secretary Bull stated that the company would dispose of all its remaining ships and other properties as soon as satisfactory purchasers could be found. Because of the passage of the seamen's act, Bull said, the company "cannot continue operations without incurring heavy loss."

The stockholders are expected to consider the question of reducing the capital stock from $20,000,000 to $1,000,000, of changing the par value of stock from $100 to $5 and of authorizing the amount of capital over and above the amount of reduced capital to be restored to the stockholders pro rata "at such time and in such manner as the directors shall determine."

RESCUE SHIP ARRIVES.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—The British freighter Rumanian Prince arrived today with the seven steerage passengers and 56 members of the crew rescued from the Greek steamer Athinai, destroyed by fire last Monday.

Bryan Peace Trip Authorship Denied

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Louis N. Hammerling of New York, president of the American Association of Foreign Language Newspapers, called at the White House today to assure President Wilson that his organization has nothing to do with representations of Dr William Fargo of Brooklyn that editors of foreign newspapers in this country wanted William J. Bryan to go abroad to work for peace. Dr Fargo saw Mr. Bryan recently to extend such an invitation.

"Our association," said Mr. Hammerling, "stands behind the president and will do nothing to embarrass him. We have nothing to do with Mr Bryan and do not want him to go abroad."

PURSE AND AUTO ARE AMONG THINGS STOLEN

C. H. Brown, of North Bennington, Vermont, who is a guest at the Hotel Oakland, reported to the police that his pocket was picked, a purse containing $50 having been stolen.

J. Ghirardelli, 635 Highland avenue, Piedmont, reported to the police that his automobile was stolen from in front of 170 Perry street.

George W. Archibald, 604 Fifty-sixth street, reported the theft of an automobile which was later recovered by the police.

Predicts Victory for Republican Forces

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23 — Governor Frank B. Willis of Ohio visited Chicago on his way to the Panama-Pacific Exposition. He addressed the Chicago Association of Commerce at a luncheon and attended a dinner at night given in his honor by the Ohio Society of Chicago.

"The Republican party is bound to win in 1915," Governor Willis declared. "For no other reason than that the people want a return of the protective tariff, if you wish. But win it will, no matter who's at the head."

When mentioned during the evening as "good Presidential timber and a sound man for the place" by Charles Gates Dawes, Governor Willis said:

"Presidential timber? Of course I'm Presidential timber. Every honest, hard-working Republican is. But I am not worrying about it yet."

The governor, accompanied by his wife, staff and several friends, left for St. Paul at midnight.

WOULD FIND RELATIVES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—Richard Taylor, 60 years old, who is supposed to have relatives in Alameda, died suddenly at 1214 Eddy street today from natural causes. The coroner is anxious to locate the relatives.

Preparedness Issue of Day, Says Murdock

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Victor Murdock national chairman of the Progressive party, speaking here last night at a dinner given in his honor by George W. Perkins, declared that the question of preparedness was foremost in the minds of the American people. Murdock said it was the duty of those in charge to keep the nation out of war.

"In addition to that," he added, "it is the duty of every man in the country to do all he can to aid in putting it in such a position that it will be able not to sue for peace, but to compel it."

Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGNING FOR BIGGER MEMBERSHIP

The Overland crew remains in the lead among the teams in the Oakland Y. M. C. A. membership race which started Monday and will continue all week.

The auto race form of membership contest this year and a number of the leading auto agencies are taking an active part in the race. Every new member who joins is allowed to vote for his favorite machine.

Oakland at 2400 (an increase of 600), San Francisco is aiming at 5400 members this year, and Berkeley at 1300 (an increase of 300 in the college town).

ROOS BROS.—OAKLAND

Hello, Boys!

TELL Mother and Dad to take you to ROOS BROS. today or Saturday and buy you one of the famous "GIBRALTAR SUITS." You know them—In those stunning new models with Patch Pockets, Stitched on Belts, and TWO PAIRS of Knickerbockers FOR $5

Where's YOUR Coat?

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[Ed]ison's Invention for Submarines Overcomes Chlorine Peril.

[N]EW YORK, Sept. 23.—An official gov[ern]ment test at the New York navy yard [o]f Thomas A. Edison's new storage [batt]ery for submarines proved beyond a [doubt] that it overcomes the deadly chlorine gas peril, according to an announce[me]nt made by Miller Reese Hutchinson, [pers]onal representative of the inventor. "[We] had" Mr. Hutchinson said, "pre[pared] 134 miniature cells and these were [plac]ed in a tank holding pure sea water. [The] tank was hermetically sealed, ex[cept] for a little pipe. With the govern[me]nt officers we waited half an hour and [then] applied the most sensitive test [know]n to chemistry to find chlorine gas. [The]re was not the slightest trace.

"We waited another short period of [time] and then tried the tests again. They [were] still negative. It proved absolutely [that] the new submarine battery will not [pro]duce chlorine gas. The officers who [we]re present included Captain George E. [...], industrial manager of the navy [yard], who will make another report to [Wa]shington."

[T]he new battery, according to Mr. [Hut]chinson, is made of iron, nickel and [pot]ash, instead of lead and sulphuric [acid], and the containing vessel of steel, [not] hard rubber. Mr. Hutchinson added: Mr. Edison began work on the new [batt]ery nearly five years ago, after four [lieut]enants in the submarine service were [d]eeply impressed with the danger from chlorine gas that they called on the inventor and asked him to try personally to develop a battery free of that peril.

"License Applied For," Sign on Dogs

Like Autos Pets Will Travel in Melrose

MELROSE, Sept. 23.—Dogs in this section, like automobiles, may have to run around with a tag inscribed "license applied for," if their owners would have them escape the vigilance of the Melrose police force. So diligently has the dog licensing and muzzling ordinance been enforced by Captain Thorwald Brown's men that the flood of inquiries for dog licenses from the residents has exceeded the capacity of the department.

Scores of pets will thus have to wait days for their licenses, and the Melrose police have in the meantime been requested to slow down in their vigorous campaign against unlicensed dogs.

The police in this district have been commended by the Humane Society for the efficient manner in which they have enforced animal regulations. Statistics show that more dog licenses have been applied for in the Melrose police district than in any other part of Oakland.

BIG CATTLE SHIPMENT.

RED BLUFF, Sept. 23.—The McKenzie and Stover company has just completed loading 1400 head of beef cattle for shipment to Grayson and Owens of San Francisco and the Nevada Packing company, a subsidiary of the Armour company.

COUNCIL HEARS SALOON PROTEST

Petition for Revocation of McCaffery License Precipitates Legal Combat.

Hearing was commenced by the city council today as to the sufficiency of the petition of residents in the neighborhood of Fifty-ninth and College that the saloon of McCaffery & McCaffery should have its license revoked.

The commissioners today refused to accept the recommendation of Commissioner of Streets, that the protests against the improvement of East Twelfth street, from Thirteenth to Twenty-third avenues be dismissed, and action was deferred for six months. By refusing to order the improvement $9000, which has been set aside to assist the property owners in paying for the street, will be lost, according to Commissioner Baccus, as he will probably use the money for some other purpose before the matter comes up again.

Ordinances were passed today appropriating $3000 from the public betterment fund for sidewalking around school properties and for $2094 from the same fund to pay the city's assessment for street improvement at Eighth and Harrison.

The council passed its first "once a week" resolution giving the board of park directors $250 for the park concerts next Sunday.

REPRESENTS NEIGHBORS.

The hearing as to the sufficiency of the petition for the revocation of the license of McCaffery & McCaffery commenced with the statement by Attorney Carlos G. White, attorney for the neighbors who are seeking to oust the saloon from Fifty-ninth and College avenue that 346 qualified electors were listed on the great register within the radius of 750 feet prescribed in the liquor ordinance. Of this number 279 were found to be actual residents of the district, according to the report prepared by the former city clerk, the others, 64 in number, having moved out of the district. Three had died. The city clerk held that the necessary majority should be based on the number remaining, a majority of 279 being 140.

John H. Tolan, who with Judge J. J. Allen represented McCaffery & McCaffery, argued that the majority should be based on the number listed in the great register, or 343, eliminating three who had died. This majority would be 172 instead of 140. The neighbors asking the removal of the saloon had 175 signatures, but Tolan explained that there had been thirteen withdrawals, thus making the petition, according to his contention, insufficient.

Louis Zimmerman, formerly deputy city clerk, was questioned by Tolan after he had testified as to how he had investigated the question how many electors had moved from the district. He and Nicholson, who represented the street department, had divided up the work. They had not gone together, and Zimmerman could testify only by hearsay as to what Nicholson had found in his investigation.

Mrs. Margaret C. Bried, one of the petitioners for the removal of the saloon, was called as a witness by White. Mrs. Bried testified that several people on the register had moved away and were not qualified electors any longer in this district.

United R. R. Case Up on Technical Point

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—The supreme court this morning began a hearing in the case of the United Railroads against Mayor Rolph and members of the Board of Public Works and Superintendent Cashin of the Municipal Railway and will decide whether or not Judge Sturtevant's injunction against the city's car was mandatory or prohibitive. Superior Judge Crothers decided that the injunction was mandatory and that therefore, the cars did not have to be removed from lower Market street pending an appeal. Following this decision a petition was made by the United Railroads to the Supreme Court and today was set for argument.

Military Survey of Long Island, Plan

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—A survey of Long Island to make maps for the purpose of military defense will begin within a few days under the direction of officers of the coast artillery companies now stationed at Fort Totten. Members of the 78th and 101st companies will take part in the survey.

Sites for heavy guns and points of strategic value will be designated. No military map of Long Island now in existence meets the new conditions developed in the European war and for this reason the survey is considered necessary. War maps of other sections in the vicinity of New York harbor soon will be made, it is said. The work is expected to continue for six months.

BOY STEPS INTO BROKEN GLASS; BADLY INJURED

Kiddie Andrew, a schoolboy, was seriously injured this morning when he stepped into broken glass at his home 1562 Franklin street. He was removed to the Emergency Hospital for treatment.

John Beloski, a laborer, 1718 Filbert street, engaged in argument with a bartender in West Oakland last night, and reported at the Emergency Hospital with a badly lacerated scalp. He declared that the bartender struck him with a blackjack.

PARK BOARD HELD FAST TO BUDGET

Cannot Exercise Preference for Ground Purchase, City Attorney Advises.

City Attorney Paul C. Morf has filed with the board of park directors a lengthy legal opinion, in which he holds that the park directors must expend the money appropriated by the city council, as the budget of the park department, for the purposes designated by the council, and cannot exercise an individual preference by altering this budget. The opinion is in response to a request from the park board, in which they ask the following question:

"If the council should make an annual appropriation to the board of park directors of such amounts as may in the judgment of the council be necessary for the uses and purposes of the park department, could not the board of park directors use such portions of the total amount so appropriated as in their judgment seems advisable for the actual purchase of parks, squares and public pleasure grounds?"

The question was asked in order that the park board might know whether they had authority if they could find that the funds were available to make a payment on the Trestle Glenn or Sather property or other park properties. The city attorney has held that this could not be done, and his opinion apparently goes further to indicate that previous purchases of park land made by the board without specific authorization from the city council were illegal and that the individual members of the board are liable for the amount paid out.

The opinion, according to Mayor Davie, is one of the most important ever handed down by the city attorney's office, as it limits the power of this board in a very material manner.

Dutch Steamer Blown Up by Mine in Thames

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—The Dutch steamer Koningen Emma, of 9000 tons, which struck a mine as she was on her way to Amsterdam from Batavia, Java, capsized and sank in the Thames today. The 250 passengers had been previously taken off the Koningen Emma, which was being towed up the river when she sank.

Swedish Ship Sunk by Mine or Torpedo

By Associated Press.

CHRISTIANA, Norway, via London, Sept. 23.—The Swedish steamer Forsvik, of 1107 tons gross was sunk Sunday by a mine or a torpedo. Her crew was landed here today.

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Mr. P. Kasich of the Saddle Rock Cafe has added quite an innovation to the amusement features at his already popular restaurant.

Mr. Cushing and Miss Vanderhoff, the well-known dancers, are giving an exhibition of special dancing, which is meeting with universal favor. Their repertoire includes practically all kinds of Ball Room, Fancy and Classic Dances. The old-fashioned cakewalk has been revived as well as some of the old colonial dances which have been admired so much in the past. In classical dancing the beautiful "Spring Dance" is included in the program.

This dancing feature has been engaged at considerable expense and the many people who have seen it are united in the opinion that it is quite an extraordinary offering.

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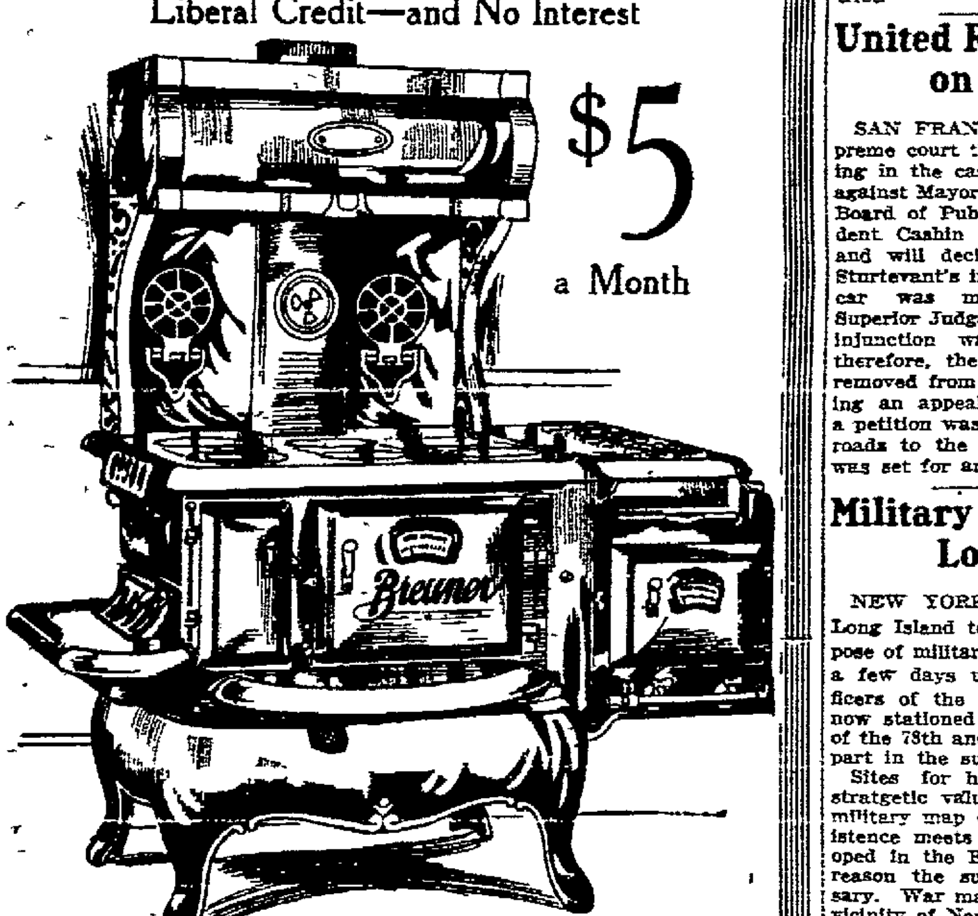

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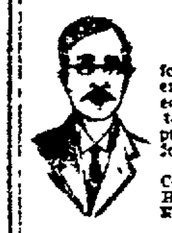

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Sees Peril in Loss of British Seamen

By Associated Press.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 23.—Andrew Furuseth, secretary of the Sailors' Union of the Pacific, addressing the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress Tuesday night, declared that unless better laws were devised for the protection of white seamen they would continue to leave the sea. He prophesied that unless Great Britain awakened to her peril in losing white seamen, sea power would pass from her and with its passing would vanish her paramount place among the maritime nations of the world.

Furuseth was speaking in support of a resolution offered by a Vancouver delegate appealing to the British government to pass laws ameliorating the condition of seamen on British vessels.

PRISONER MAKES DASH.

FRESNO, Sept. 23.—Leroy Jones, serving a sentence for passing bad checks, was caught today in an attempt to saw his way out of the county jail. In his five months in jail Jones has lost all of his property. On July 26 a baby was born to his girl wife in Armona and died within a few hours. On September 9 his wife died. He declares he tried to break jail in desperation over his recent misfortunes.

ANNUAL A. O. H. WHIST.

Final preparations have been completed for the annual whist party to be given this evening by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. at California Hall. Judging from the crowds and the good times at the former whist parties of this organization a large crowd is expected. Game will be called at 8:30 p. m.

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Divorces Granted While You Wait

Three Couples Find Legal Loophole

SANTA ROSA, Sept. 23.—"Divorces while you wait" may become quite easy to obtain if disgruntled couples follow the method adopted in three divorces recently granted here, and which have revealed a remarkable situation in California legislation.

These divorces were granted not by superior court judges, but by judges pro tempore, selected by the litigants themselves. There is a regular legal authority for this procedure.

Section 8 of Article 6 of the State Constitution, referring to any civil action, says that in such cases as the litigants or their attorneys of record agree, any qualified attorney may be sworn in as superior court judge pro tempore, may try the case and deliver a decision which stands as immutable as that of any regular judge.

Where both man and wife have agreed upon a divorce, this law has proved very convenient here. The three couple simply had some attorney appointed judge, pro tempore, and the divorces were granted quietly and with expedition.

Superior Court Judges Emmet Seawell and T. C. Denny are aroused over the use being made of this section of the constitution. It appears that the people voted on this clause in 1910. Originally the new clause was intended to make the appointment of a pro tempore judge possible only with the consent of the judges. But the clause "with the consent and sanction of the superior court judges" was left out. Until recently no advantage has been taken of the clause in this county, and other counties also have evidently failed to adopt it. Its state-wide use, it is said, would mean the easiest thing in the world for a couple agreed upon divorce to obtain the desired separation.

NEW FREIGHT TARIFF WILL GO INTO EFFECT

On October 15 the Southern Pacific Company will put into effect a new freight tariff on commodities moving between interior points in Oregon. The rates between these points are slightly higher than heretofore, in accordance with the Interstate Commerce Commission's ruling under the "long and short haul" clause of the Interstate Commerce Act that interior rates must be higher than those applied to or from ports actually served by both water and rail carriers.

Most of the freight between California and Oregon moves by water and some shippers have expressed surprise at an increase in rail rates at a time when the land carriers are making a great effort to compete with the water lines. The Southern Pacific Company, however, was denied the right to continue its former practice of extending the benefit of water rates to interior cities, on the ground that this would constitute a violation of the long and short haul clause. For example, the former rate between Stockton or Sacramento, Cal., and Portland or Oregon City, Ore., was the same as the rate from San Francisco to Portland. The new rate, however, requires an additional local charge to the terminal rate.

IS IT YOUR KIDNEYS?

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Many people never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary trouble sets in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is where the danger often lies. You should realize that these troubles often lead to dropsy or Bright's disease. An effective remedy for weak or diseased kidneys is Doan's Kidney Pills. Residents of this vicinity are constantly testifying.

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STATE CONTROL OF POWER URGED

Resolutions of Conference Call on Congress for Action.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 23. — Resolutions declaring in positive terms for state control and development of waterpower resources and voicing opposition to any policy looking toward a system of leasing generally of the public domain were reported today to the Western States Waterpower Conference by the committee on resolutions.

The resolutions as adopted in committee further call upon Congress to pass a declaratory act recognizing that the proprietory interest of the United States to the vacant land within the states is subject to the jurisdiction and eminent domain of the states for all uses declared by these laws to be public ones.

Supported in committee by a strong majority, the report was adopted today after heated discussion and particulars of which the committeemen decline to divulge beyond saying that two sets of resolutions had been presented and one adopted.

Clyde C. Dawson of Denver, head of the Colorado delegation, presented the resolutions as adopted with some minor changes. The other resolutions which were rejected, embody the principle of federal control and were introduced in committee by Thomas J. Walsh, United States Senator from Montana.

The report of the committee will be presented to the conference by Reed Smoot, United States Senator from Utah. Senator Walsh, leader of the minority faction, said last night that he would present his resolutions as a minority report.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS.

The more important of the declaratory resolutions as recommended by the majority report of the committee follow:

"Resolved, That the states have the constitutional right and power to control and regulate the appropriation and use of the waters within their boundaries for all beneficial purposes except navigation, and also have the right and power to control and regulate the rates and service of their public utilities.

"Resolved, That we are opposed to any policy that looks toward imposing the system of leasing generally upon the public domain, for the reason that such system is contrary to the spirit of our free institutions, and would retard the development of the resources of the states in which there is still any public land.

"Resolved, That, in view of what we believe to be administrative misconstruction of existing legislation, we are in favor of a declaratory act by Congress recognizing and acknowledging that the proprietary interest of the United States in the vacant land within the states is subject to the jurisdiction and eminent domain of those states for all uses which are declared by the laws of those states to be public uses and which are so essential to the development, well-being and prosperity of those states.

WOULD ENCOURGE WORK.

Resolved, That the purposes of encouraging the development and utilization of the natural resources of the country by private enterprise which actuated Congress in the enactment in the right-of-way acts of July 26, 1866, and March 3, 1891, and in the enactment of the acts of March 3, 1877, and June 4, 1897, making all non-navigable waters on public lands, including forest reservations, free for appropriation for beneficial uses, should actuate Congress today in the enactment of any further legislation upon these subjects.

"Resolved, That any legislation by Congress, the purpose or effort of which is to substitute arbitrary or discretionary authority of executive officials for fixed rules of law governing the administration, sale or other disposition of public lands and reservations and rights-of-way over the same will be unwise and inconsistent with the spirit of the constitution.

"Resolved, That we are opposed to ownership of control, either direct or indirect, by the United States government of intrastate public utilities."

PARK SUPERINTENDENT HOLDS DOWN SEVEN JOBS

The ancient mariner who was cook, captain bold, mate of the Nancy brig, and the crew, had nothing on City Park Superintendent Lee Kerfoot, save immortality at the hands of Sir W. S. Gilbert. Kerfoot is a man of as many and as varied duties.

He is park superintendent, stenographer, bookkeeper, secretary to the park board, financial expert, purchasing agent and gardener, all rolled into one.

Vacations and illnesses in the staff are the causes of his manifold duties. The stenographer and secretary of the department, and other members of the staff are absent for a few days. Kerfoot, with the help of his deleted office force, is coping with the situation as best he can.

JAIL MEXICAN FOR SHOOTING FOREMAN

PORTOLA, Sept. 23.—A Mexican, name unknown, was taken into custody by Under Sheriff Mosely and Constable Woodrouffe. The man under arrest shot and slightly wounded a Western Pacific section foreman at Keddie about ten days ago. Under Sheriff Mosely at that time attempted to arrest him, he resisted, and an exchange of shots took place, the Mexican escaping in the darkness.

The officers were unable to locate the man until yesterday, when he went on a drunken rampage here and a member of the Mexican colony informed the officers of his whereabouts.

PASSENGERS HURT AS AUTO STAGE UPSETS

HOOD, Sept. 23.—An auto stage operating between Isleton and Sacramento, driven by a Japanese, was overturned and badly smashed on the road between Franklin and Hood.

A Japanese and Hindu were thrown out and injured.

Workmen are busy building a bridge near the scene of the accident, preparatory to putting the road in first-class condition. The Japanese, in turning to avoid the bridge, upset.

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Clothiers Favor Law Against 'Closing Sales'

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—A recommendation was presented today to the convention of the National Retail Clothiers' Association favoring state laws prohibiting a merchant from advertising a "going out of business sale" from the same store more than once.

Meyer S. May of Grand Rapids, Mich., vice-president of the association, who presided at the session, fathered the suggestion.

"By this practice of repeated 'going out of business sales'" said May, "the people lose faith in all merchants."

Mrs. Dumba to Give Her Aid to Hospital

By Associated Press.

LENOX, Mass., Sept. 23.—Mrs. Constntin T. Dumba, wife of the Austrian ambassador, whose recall was requested by the United States government, will engage immediately in hospital work upon her return home, she stated to Lenox cottagers yesterday.

Dr. Dumba's country place in the outskirts of Vienna probably will be turned into a private hospital.

Damaged Submarines to Be Towed to Bay

HONOLULU, T. H., Sept. 23.—The submarines F-1, F-2 and F-3, which were damaged recently when the United States steamer Supply crashed into them, have been ordered towed to the Mare Island Navy Yard for inspection and repairs. They will leave here about the middle of October after the arrival of the four submarines of the K type, which were ordered to this station when Secretary Daniels decided, as the result of the report on the loss of the F-4, to take all boats of the F class out of commission pending a fuller investigation.

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New arrivals just in. Full and fluffy and come in all the popular color combinations, including black-and-white, green-and-white, brown-and-white, plum, natural, copenhagen, Kelly green, plum and pink. Very fashionable this season.

Sample Sale of
Laces
Short Ends of Edges, Insertions, Flouncings Allovers and Galloons

Both heavy and shadow laces in one-fourth to one-half yard pieces. Colors, cream, ecru and black. Can be used to great advantage for dressmaking and fancy work. Only a limited quantity, so come early.

DIVIDED IN THREE LOTS.
LOT I—VALUES TO $1.00 YARD
5c Piece
LOT II—VALUES TO $2.00 YARD
15c Piece
LOT III—VALUES TO $3.00 YARD
25c Piece

Sale of Laces
12½c
Values to 75c Yard

A special purchase lot of edges, bands and galloons in Venise, Point Sierra, Shadow and Chantilly Laces in cream, white and ecru. The best lace opportunity we have ever been able to make in our Basement Store.

Boys' 25c Balbriggan
Shirts and Drawers
17c Garment

Medium light weight, made with reinforced seat, and with cuff knee. In ecru color. Sizes 26 to 34.

Odd Napkins 8c Each

If you are not particular whether your every day Napkins match or not, here is a great saving opportunity—but if you look them over carefully you can find some that do match. Mercerized Napkins with soft, satin finish. Size 19 inches.

New Veilings 25c yd.

Some attractive new Veilings have just been opened up in the Basement Store for your inspection. New meshes with velvet or chenille borders. In black only.

Women's Stockings
12½c Pair

Good quality black lisle Stockings with double sole, spliced heel and toe. Sizes 8½ to 10.

Special Basement Sale of
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Hats 69c

A remarkable millinery offering. Made of good looking and most serviceable German velvet.

ALL NEW—SHOWN FOR THE FIRST TIME TOMORROW.

Sailor shapes with various styles of soft velvet and silk crowns. Come early as the quantity is limited.

Turkish Towels
Hundreds of Them

All new arrivals just opened up. Purchased direct from the mills in order to insure you a bottom price. A great saving chance for housekeepers, hotels and barbers. They are cheap in price but have lasting quality.

White Turkish Towels
7½c

Good weight and the soft nap that insures absorbency. Size 17x34. A special value at this price.

Unbleached
Turkish Towels 10c

Good, heavy nap and fringed or hemmed ends. Size 20x38. A splendid Towel bargain.

Large Turkish Towels 20c

All white and white with colored borders. Heavy, rough nap. Cost more regularly.

Barber Towels 5c

Soft cotton Towels with red or white borders. Come in regular size.

Seamed Sheets, Special, 35c

Made of good quality soft muslin with seam in center.

Stamped Huck Towels 12c

Good quality Towels with striped centers and ends stamped in different designs.

Fitted Top
Cotton Petticoats
Special, 79c

Soft finish Sateen Petticoats in many attractive styles. Tops made to fit smoothly and patent clasp fasteners. Colors: black, navy, green, tan, gray, plum and Copenhagen.

Stylish Fall Coats
$6.98

Some brand new arrivals that are most remarkable in their style and worth at this little price. Both women's and misses' sizes. In small checks and green and brown mixtures. Splendidly tailored garments, made on straight lines with belt in front and trimmed with plush or velvet collars. Made of heavy quality coatings.

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The greatest and most realistic modern melodrama ever produced for the screen.
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PROMINENT MAN SEES BIG FUTURE FOR LITTLE LANDERS

On this Exposition year, California has entertained a great many of the biggest men in the country, and it is a very remarkable thing for one of the biggest of them, who is connected with a great railroad and thoroughly conversant with our wide conditions, to make a statement like the following:

"I saw many interesting things on this trip—rich and beautiful agricultural areas where only five or ten years ago were nothing but desert—as all farms and big ranches, ranging from ten acres to a hundred thousand and more—cities of a quarter and half a million population which had less than one-fifth that number ten years ago, BUT THE MOST WONDERFUL THING I SAW AND THE MOST VITAL FACTOR OF ALL I BELIEVE IN THE FUTURE WELL-BEING AND RATIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF AMERICAN FAMILY LIFE AND COMMUNITY PROSPERITY WAS THE LITTLE LANDERS COLONIES. Mr. Wm. E. Smythe, the father of the National Irrigation Congress and well-known author, is the man who builds big on this colonization movement."

But when one investigates the Little Landers project as this man did, it is not surprising to see so many people becoming Little Landers. It is a scheme of life that appeals strongly to everyone who likes country life and wants to make a living on a small ranch in the suburbs of a great city. The free expert instruction along the principal lines of intensive cultivation, including poultry, gardening, flowers, bees, etc., gives the unskilled an equal chance with those of larger experience. The co-operative marketing system enables everyone to get the highest price for his product and the organized social life in an ideal civic center building makes the community life neighborly and pleasant. The Bay-Cities Colony is at Hayward Heath.

The Hon. Wm. E. Smythe is giving a series of free public lectures about the movement with many illustrated pictures. The general public are cordially invited and especially those who contemplate a real self-supporting home on the land.

Remember the dates—Friday, 2:45 p. m., and again 8:15 p. m. Golden West Hall, Pacific Building, Sixteenth and Jefferson streets.

Further information and literature cheerfully furnished at 303 Phelan Bldg., San Francisco, or 204 First National Bank Bldg., Oakland.—Advertisement.

WOMAN, 70, ARRESTED.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., Sept. 23.—Mrs. Eva Estep, a motherly woman of 70 has been arrested as leader of a mysterious band of dry law evaders.

WAGES BETTER, SAYS REPORT
UNION SCALES ARE COMPARED

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The Department of Labor today made public the result of an inquiry into the union scale of wages and hours of labor for 93 of the principal trades in 41 cities of the country prevailing in May, 1914. The trades include those of the brewing and beer bottling, building freight handling, granite and stone, metal, mill work and printing.

The average rate of wages per week for all cities taken collectively was higher on May 1, 1914, than on May 1, 1913, for 75 of the trades reported; in 17 trades there was no change and in only one trade was it lower.

In the more important trades the increases were: Beer bottlers, 3 per cent; bricklayers, 2 per cent; carpenters, 1 per cent; plumbers and gas fitters, 1 per cent; sheet metal workers, 3 per cent; structural iron workers, 2 per cent; freight handlers, 3 per cent; painters, 4 per cent; compositors (book and job), 2 per cent.

Considering rates of wages per hour as distinguished from rates per week, 75 trades showed an increase, 15 no change and for nine was the rate lower.

The highest scales per hour paid in May, 1914, in a few of the principal trades were: Bricklayers, 87.5 cents in Dallas and San Francisco; carpenters, 65 cents in Chicago; painters, 70 cents in Chicago; plumbers and gas fitters 75 cents in Chicago, Dallas, Portland, St. Louis, Salt Lake City, San Francisco and Seattle; sheet metal workers, 65.8 cents in Chicago and San Francisco; structural iron workers, 7[illegible] cents in Cleveland; freight handlers, 69.6 cents in New Orleans; linotype operators (Hebrew, book and job), 83.3 cents in New York; compositors (English newspaper, day work), 75 cents in Seattle.

In fifteen trades there was a reduction in hours of labor between May, 1913, and May, 1914. 77 reported no change, and one reported an increase.

BRITISH TRADE BOARD SIDESTEPS MEAT TRUST

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—"The board of trade does not allow the American meat trust to get all they ask for, nor shipowners to get all they want," Walter Runciman, president of the British board of trade, stated in the House of Commons, in the course of a debate on financial matters, in which the high prices of food were commented upon.

Steps had been taken by the British government, Mr. Runciman said, to obtain meat in Argentina and Australia. If these measures had not been taken, he said, there would have been a shortage really dangerous for the country.

During the next month, Mr. Runciman continued, the operations of the board of trade would amount to about 50,000,000 pounds ($250,000,000). He added that the French government had such confidence in the board of trade that they had placed the whole business of supplying French meat requirements in the hands of the board.

TWO GIRLS INJURED.

CHICO, Sept. 23.—The Misses Ida and Linnie Estes, daughters of C. C. Estes of Sacramento avenue, were both injured when thrown from a buggy during a runaway. Miss Linnie Estes sustained a sprained ankle, and both girls were cut and bruised. While the girls were driving a horse and buggy on Nord avenue, a tire came off one of the buggy wheels, and the animal ran away. Dr. D. H. Moulton, who happened to be passing by in his automobile, saw the accident, and took both of the victims home.

TO HOLD DEVOTION OF FORTY HOURS' DURATION

Devotion of the forty hours' adoration will commence at St. Mary's church, Seventh and Jefferson streets, Sunday at 11 o'clock mass. This devotion to the Blessed Sacrament is held once a year at St. Mary's church and is noteworthy for the very large crowds who attend. It will conclude on Tuesday morning with a high mass at 9 o'clock. The 11 o'clock mass on Sunday will be a high mass with special music by the Conservatory of Music choir, under the direction of Mrs. Florence Gregory, organist. The sermon on this occasion will be preached by the Rev. P. McGrattan. The other services on Sunday morning will consist of low masses at 6:30, 8, 9, 10 and 12:15 o'clock. The altars will be richly decorated with flowers and candles and the church will be open all day on Sunday and Monday for adorers. The Sunday evening services will consist of vespers, a sermon by the Rev. E. P. Dempsey and benediction. On Monday there will be high mass at 9 o'clock, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament during the day with special evening services at 8 o'clock. The sermon on Monday night will be given by the Rev. Edward Nolan, rector of St. Bernard's church in this city.

TELLS M. E. CONFERENCE HE WILL QUIT DISTRICT

ROSEBURG, Ore., Sept. 23.—At the opening of the sixty-third annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Oregon here Bishop R. J. Cooke announced that he would leave his present district at the expiration of his term.

"It is not wise for me to preside here longer" he said. "Nothing is more destructive to Methodism than for officers to stay in one place. A circulation is needed. It is that way with pastors and should be with bishops."

DEMOCRATS PLAN PARTY-LIFE FIGHT

Will Begin Campaign Against Non-Partisan Bill With Open Meeting.

W. B. Bunker, president of the Jefferson Club announced today that the fight of the Alameda County Democrats against the non-partisan bill will be opened Tuesday evening of next week when an open meeting of the organization will be held in Meinerts hall, Twelfth and Alice streets. Bunker today issued a general invitation to all interested to attend the meeting.

The speakers will include H. H. McPike, secretary of the joint parties state committee, John J. McDonald, chairman of the Alameda County Democratic Central Committee, H. W. Bruns, of Berkeley, Assemblyman George Beck of Livermore and Bunker.

"This will be the opening gun of the campaign," said Bunker. "We intend to carry this fight into every precinct of Alameda county to preserve party integrity. We do not propose to stand without a protest against the attempt to destroy the Democratic party in California. I am informed that the sentiment here among Democrats is unanimous in opposition to the non-partisan scheme. It will be our duty to bring out every Democratic vote against the bills.

"The Republicans, I am advised, are equally up in arms and will exert themselves in the same way that we are starting. If the people of California are to be deprived of the right to assemble according to their political beliefs, it is high time that something be done to convince the non-partisan advocates that they are going a step too far."

CHINESE WANT AMERICAN CAPITAL IN INVESTMENT

Fear that a Chinese-managed steamship company would prove a financial failure has caused the Chinese of the bay cities to issue the statement that the venture will not be financed unless American capital is provided. In other words, the amount needed for the gigantic undertaking must be partially subscribed by American capitalists before the local Chinese will consent to go ahead with the original plans.

According to officers of the Chinese Six Companies the local Chinese are wary of the business ability of their countrymen across the ocean, having in mind the many fortunes which were wasted on the construction of railroads in China. An appeal will be made to American capitalists to save the steamship line, which will make this bay one of its ports of call.

FIX MAXIMUM AGE.

SEATTLE, Sept. 23.—The city civil service commission fixed upon 40 years as the maximum age for laborers and teamsters entering the classified service of the city. Old men now in the city service will not be ousted, however.

Closing Out Sale

Several entire pages of this newspaper would be required to list all the bargains in Hale's great Closing Out Sale. Our entire stock must go. Drastic price cuts have been the rule. Tables and counters on every floor are piled high with merchandise.

Hale's GOOD GOODS

OAKLAND STORE

Staple and novelty lines, including our best stocks for Fall, are included. This is the supreme merchandise event in Oakland today. You can fill every household and personal need here at sharply reduced prices. Read the list below. Come tomorrow.

DRAPERIES

25c, 30c SUNFASTS, brown, green, blue, old rose, red, 36-inch, yard 19¢.

50c, 60c SUNFASTS, 30 and 36-inch, yard 39¢.

MADRAS and NETS, 36 to 45-inch, worth to 35c, yard 17¢.

SCRIMS, 36 to 40-inch, yard 8¢, 11¢, 14¢, 23¢.

SILKS, DRESS GOODS

$1.00 CHIFFON TAFFETA, 36-inch—yard 65c.

50c JAPANESE SILKS, 27-inch, yd. 33c

85c SILK POPLINS, 36-inch, yard 58c.

$1.25 SILK and WOOL POPLINS, 40-inch, yard 85c.

BLACK TAFFETAS, 36-inch, yard 69c, 89c, 95c, $1.25.

75c CORDUROY, 30-inch, yard 50c.

50c, 65c BLACK DRESS GOODS, wool, 36 to 40-inch, yard 25c.

50c, 59c, 65c FANCY SUITINGS, stripes, plaids and novelty weaves, 38 and 40-inch, yard 43c.

$1.25 ALL WOOL POPLINS, 45-inch, yard 75c.

50c SHEPHERD CHECKS, black and white, 42-inch, yard 39c; 85c quality, 50-inch, yard 65c.

25c PRINCESS SATEENS, yard 19c.

35c CLEVER SATEENS, yard 30c.

40c VICTORIA SERGE, yard 35c.

HOSIERY BARGAINS

25c IRON THREAD HOSIERY for women and children, pair 19¢.

WOMEN'S BLACK GOTHAM GOLD STRIPE SILK HOSE, pair 89¢.

LAD AND LASSIE SCHOOL HOSE for boys and girls, pair 13¢.

BURSON HOSE, black with white foot, pair 19¢.

WOMEN'S BLACK COTTON HOSE, pair 11¢.

INFANTS' COTTON HOSE, lisle finish, pair 9¢.

Underwear Bargains

WOMEN'S ITALIAN SILK BLOOMERS, $1.89; UNION SUITS, $3.19.

WOMEN'S CARTER'S UNION SUITS, $1.19.

WOMEN'S FOREST MILLS VESTS AND PANTS, wool, each $1.29.

WOMEN'S FLEECE COTTON VESTS AND PANTS, each 43¢.

CHILDREN'S COTTON FLEECE VESTS AND PANTS, 2 to 16 years, each 21c.

CHILDREN'S FOREST MILLS UNION SUITS, 43c.

INFANTS' RUBEN VESTS, 21c; part wool 15c.

Sample Fall Suits

Sacrificed At

$12.95, $14.95, $19.50

AUTUMN COATS

Sacrificed At

$11.95 and $5.95

House Dresses

Five Different Styles

Bargains at 89c

$3.50 FALL HAT SHAPES

Reduced to $1.98

All Are Brand New

CHILDREN'S HATS

All Bargains At

$1.29, $1.95 and $2.49

For Men and Boys

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS at 95c.

HEAVY FLANNELETTE NIGHT SHIRTS at 69c.

CLUETT SHIRTS, $1.19.

IRON THREAD SOCKS, pair 19c.

WINSTED WOOL SOCKS, pair 16c.

ENGINEER AND FIREMEN'S SOCKS, black or tan, pair 11c.

COTTON UNDERWEAR, garment 39c.

HEAVY COTTON UNION SUITS, 79c.

CHALMERS COTTON UNDERWEAR, each 43c.

MEDLICOTT WOOL UNDERWEAR, each $1.89.

TWINTEX ATHLETIC MESH UNDERWEAR, each 35c.

B. V. D. UNDERWEAR, each 35c.

MEN'S AND BOYS' ARROW COLLARS—4 for 25c.

BOYS' SCHOOL PANTS, Knickerbocker style, 47c.

BOYS' SPORT BLOUSES, 23c.

Corset Bargains 89c

New Models in R. & G., Thompson's, W. B., Warners', Royal Worcester and G. D. Corsets.

WOMEN'S FLANNELETTE GOWNS, heavy, 93¢.

CORSET COVERS reduced to 43¢.

$1.00 MUSLIN GOWNS reduced to 79¢.

Slipper Soles, Pair 23c

Values to 50c; for men, women and misses.

Black Moire Bags, 39c

VALUES TO $1.50

Several pretty styles; neatly lined.

15c Floral Ribbon, yd 7½c

All silk quality, 2½ to 4 inches wide.

Bargains in NOTIONS

Coates' Cotton, 6 spools for 25c.

Coates' Darning Cotton, 5 spools for 10c.

Basting Cotton, 500 yds., 3 spools for 10c

Tape, 3-yd. pieces, 3 pieces for 5c.

So-No-Mor Clasps, dozen 3c.

Hair Pins, cab. 4c.

Girdle Forms, each 19c.

BEDDING, MUSLIN, DAMASK, ETC.

$1.35 HONEYCOMB SPREADS at 89c.

$1.50 COMFORTERS, double bed size, 95c.

12½c PILLOW CASES, bleached, heavy, 42x36 inches, 8c.

PEQUOT SHEETS, 72x90 ins., 65c; 81x90 ins., 70c.

$5.00 MARSEILLES SPREADS at $3.89.

8 1-3c UNBLEACHED MUSLIN, 36-inch; yard 5c.

$1.65 BOLT OF LONGCLOTH, 12 yards, bolt $1.38.

25c BATHROBE FLANNED, 28-inch, yard 19c.

$1.25 TABLE DAMASK, 72 inches wide, yard 89c.

18c GALATEA, best grade, yard 14c.

10c HUCK TOWELS, 16x34 inches, each 6c.

FOR INFANTS

$1.50 SWEATERS for 95c.

$1.00 FALL SILK BONNETS now 53c.

$2.50 FALL VELVET HATS for $1.47.

ROMPERS worth to $1.00 for 43c.

ARNOLD'S $1 SLEEPING GOWNS for 37c.

WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, pure linen, each 12¢ and 21¢.

EMBROIDERY FLOUNCING worth to $1.50 yard, 44-inch, yard 79¢; Baby Flouncing worth 75c at yard 43¢.

FANCY CHIFFONS, ALLOVER LACES, VENISE LACE BANDS and ALL LACES REDUCED.

ALLOVER EMBROIDERY, worth 75c, yard 39c.

HALE'S—Washington and Eleventh Streets—HALE'S

Triangle Nights

Pretty nearly every day somebody says—

"But how in the world did you do it all so *quickly?*"

And the answer is—"We didn't."

As a matter of fact, Triangle Film has been really *years* in the making.

But like many great enterprises which have been long in preparation—nothing was said of it until it was *done.*

To *do* first and talk later was the idea.

For a long, long time Griffith and Ince and Sennett have been making moving pictures that were so much ahead of ordinary ones that exhibitors almost fought to get them.

But like all ambitious men—especially artists—they were all the time fretting because they wanted to make them better still and were held down by the money limitations of low-priced theatres.

Even so—they were perfecting great organizations—which got better every day.

Among them they had got together about fifty of the most expert photographers in the world, and with each of these trying to make clearer, more beautiful pictures than the rest, you can imagine the perfection of the studios!

It was natural enough that directors who were ambitious gathered about Griffith, Ince and Sennett—especially when they saw what photography they were producing.

All this time the acting was getting better. Really wonderful artists were developing—

Mae Marsh, Ralph Lewis,
Seena Owen, Robert Herron,
Wallace Reid, William S. Hart,
Enid Markey, Fred Mace,
Bessie Barriscale, Ford Sterling,
Mabel Normand, Roscoe Arbuckel,
Lillian and Dorothy Gish.

Everybody chafed under the holding back of *Price.*

Then Griffith broke all bounds—jumped all barriers—got some of his friends to help with money—and on his own hook produced "The Birth of a Nation."

Everybody said it was wonderful—and everybody said it wouldn't pay!

Then it was shown in New York; and the whole town clamored for seats at $2.00 each.

Don't you see how simple the rest was?

The men behind Griffith and Ince and Sennett took off the financial "lid" and the fur began to fly with a vengeance.

Each of these great directors had up his sleeve wonderful things he'd been wanting to do for years!

Here a certain stage star was the needed last touch; there a tremendous mob scene; still again some amazing mechanical "effect" that would cost a fortune.

Directors—camera men—actors and actresses outdid themselves!

Stage Stars that had always shied at moving pictures listened—and came!

Then the news trickled out; wise exhibitors, for they had found that the one best show in town always succeeded—no matter what rent had been paid for film—began telegraphing for "reservations"—and that the rest fought for what was left.

The star executives of the big film distributing companies let it be known that their services might be had.

And all this time no company had been formed—nothing had been arrived at beyond a rough, general understanding among the men who had put up the money.

Less than two months ago the thing finally took shape, and "Triangle Film" became a Corporation.

It had no liabilities.

Its assets were probably the most valuable pieces of paper ever executed in the film business—for they were contracts for the work of these three supervising producers for years to come!

Its chief stockholders besides these men—whose future is pledged to it—were Adam and Charles Kessel, Charles Bauman and H. E. Aitken, every one of whom had got rich in the film business.

Its executives, the pick of the industry.

Its good-will, the promise of business from exhibitors of the very highest type the country over!

So you see, it isn't so very wonderful after all that, newly corporate as it is, Triangle Film is already a fine, strong, smooth-running machine—doing business as easily and efficiently as though its parts had been working together for years.

Nor that the Triangle Plays which first appear at the Knickerbocker Theatre, New York, next Thursday will have the perfection that comes only with years of preparation and months of polishing.

And it isn't very strange either that, just as a good many people in New York set aside one or two evenings a week as "opera nights," thousands of them the country over are already arranging for "Triangle Nights" this winter.

Have you set aside *your* Triangle Nights?

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BURRIGHTS' BAIL DOUBLED BY COURT

Portland Indictments in Alleged "Arson Ring" Cause New Move.

Judge Mortimer Smith today raised the bail of Charles L. and Nora, alias Jean, Burright, from $[illegible] to $[illegible] each, and the couple were placed in jail pending the raising of the necessary bond. The Burrights are alleged to be members of the notorious "arson gang," against four members of which indictments were returned by the Multnomah county grand jury at Portland, Ore., last night.

The publication of the action of the Portland authorities would serve to warn the Burrights that the police of Oakland have additional evidence from Portland against them, according to Captain of Inspectors W. J. Petersen. Petersen asked that the bail be raised, as he feared that the two defendants might leave Oakland.

"These two people are accused as members of an arson gang that has been burning down dwellings all over the Pacific coast, and collecting the insurance," declared Prosecuting Attorney Ezra Decoto in asking that the bail be raised. "It is not safe that they should be allowed their freedom unless a sufficiently large bail is furnished to assure this court that they will appear when the case comes up for preliminary hearing."

"That statement is unfair," declared Attorney H. J. Wildgrube, representing Burright and his wife. "My clients are being persecuted. They are absolutely innocent of the offense charged, and they are in no way connected with the arson gang.

ALLEGES SPITE.

"These people up in Portland are trying to implicate the Burrights from spite. They tried to get the Burrights to join with them, but they would not do it, and that made the gang sore. Now they are trying to get back at them.

"The fire which they are alleged to have caused in Oakland was as innocent a fire as you could find, and we can prove it.

"Why, if they had wanted to jump out, they could have done so when their bail was only $2000."

The case was to have come up for preliminary examination today, but Inspector Kyle, who has been working on it, asked that it go over to give him an opportunity to work up some more evidence.

The Burrights are accused of having set fire to a house at Fifty-fifth avenue and Trumbull street on the night of December 13, 1914, and with having thereafter attempted to collect insurance from the Home Insurance company.

INDICTED IN PORTLAND.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 22.—Four members of an alleged "arson syndicate" were indicted by the Multnomah county grand jury after deliberation of two days over disclosures made by District Attorney Walter M. Evans and Fire Marshal Jay Stevens as to the existence of an alleged organization for the purpose of setting fires and collecting insurance.

Those indicted are Mordis Keeney, formerly a lieutenant in the Portland fire department; George W. Woolette, William Stewart, and a fourth man whose name was withheld by the authorities pending his arrest.

Woolette and Stewart were said by Mr. Evans to have made complete statements admitting their connection with a number of fires and implicating Keeney and others. Keeney maintains his innocence. Woolette and Stewart are at liberty on promise to appear when wanted. Keeney is in jail under $5000 bonds. Sanford W. Currier, the first man indicted for the "firebug" activities, is in jail awaiting trial.

Eight Portland fires are laid at the door of the alleged conspirators, but some of these occurred long ago. District Attorney Evans believes that eight fires mentioned in various confessions he has received are but a small part of the gang's actual operations.

INTERLOCUTORY DECREE OF DIVORCE IS GRANTED

Louise B. Morton has been granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Jas. Morton by Superior Judge T. W. Harris, on a desertion complaint. The mother was awarded the custody of the two minor children of the family.

The suit of Mrs. A. J. Rice against her husband, A. J. Rice, alleging desertion, was referred to the court commissioner for a report.

HOLD JURY IN READINESS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—District Attorney Fickert announced this morning that the grand jury would be kept in session all day Tuesday next for immediate investigation of any cases of violation of the election laws that might develop. Also instructions were given to the police to arrest all distributers of anonymous dodgers, at the request of Republican, Democratic and Union Labor parties.

At the Theaters

Virginia Brissac is an artist of charming personality upon whom the distinction has been conferred as the most versatile leading lady on the stage today. It is Virginia Brissac who is to appear at the Macdonough theater, commencing Sunday matinee the 26th of the month in "Within the Law," the great American play. With Brissac comes Norman Hackett, the distinguished Eastern star, to play the leading role of Richard Gilder. John G. Wray himself will play the role of Joe Garson, the forger. Ferdinand Munier will be seen in the role of Inspector Burke.

When Bayard Veiller wrote the melodrama, "Within the Law," he did not realize perhaps that he was giving the stage a plot that was destined to make phenomenal and enduring theatrical history. Its record proves the assertion. "Within the Law" opened at the Eltinge Theater, New York City, one night with little known of it in that exacting and capricious metropolis save that it was a melodrama by an unknown author. Two years later it still was running at the same theater to crowded houses and the play and author's name were known the world over wherever the stage exists.

This is the play which comes to the Macdonough theater for next week. The highest salaried cast, the most expensive production, the greatest royalty plays at popular prices.

NORMAN HACKETT

CIVIC AUDITORIUM

The World Film Corporation presents the five-part photoplay, "The Cotton King," based on Sutton Vane's well-known drama of the same name.

George Nash, the well-known star of many a Broadway success, is the central figure of this powerful drama, which is the first production for World Film of Oscar Eagle, one of the most experienced film directors in the business.

John Osborne, the cotton king, refuses to go into a cotton corner, and buys a big mill in the South, which is blown up. He is in love with one girl, and is accused of ruining another. The bottom falls out of the cotton market and he is ruined. His rival, the villain of the piece, attempts to kill Osborne's fiancee, but is defeated. The girl escapes, the villain is unmasked, and the lovers are made happy. Sensational scenes on the cotton market, and illustrative of life in the South are shown in the picture.

George Nash is supported by a capable cast, including Julia Hay, Fred Truesdell, Mario Majeroni and Julia Stuart.

This sensational and gripping melodramatic photoplay will be shown at the Auditorium Theater Saturday matinee and night and Sunday matinee and night, together with E. S. Curtis' Indian epic drama of the North Sea, "In the Land of the Head Hunters."

AUDITORIUM

The Melba concert tonight will be the fashionable event of the Oakland season. The beautiful new theater of the city of Oakland in the Auditorium building will be crowded by society's leaders, as well as hosts of real music lovers to greet the greatest singer of the century. Melba will give a superb concert, the same program being used as created a sensation in San Francisco last Sunday afternoon. She will be assisted by Robert Parker, baritone, who shared honors with his star by revealing a voice of exquisite beauty, and by Frank St. Leger, a young pianist, who was an instant success.

ORPHEUM

Three headline acts, an all-vaudeville bill that recalls the brightest and best the Orpheum, home of vaudeville, has ever afforded, is packing the house this week. The bill is ever of a more striking variety than the usual variety bill—and on the Orpheum variety is the watchword.

Ralph Dunbar's Singers are one of the biggest hits on the lavish vaudeville program. Seven clever musicians are heard in the offering.

Billie Burke's Tango Shoes, a novelty that has charmed crowds over the entire circuit, continues to delight, as evidenced by the big audiences, and the California Beauties offer a dancing feature of more than usual merit.

The Hawaiian dancers and musicians, nine in number, give a breath of the Orient. Shirli Rives and Ben Harrison are seen in a bit of song and comedy chatter, where Miss Rives' beautiful voice is heard to advantage.

The La Ferra Sisters, a duo of pretty girls, sing and dance in pleasing style, are among the newcomers.

"Gyge's Ring" is the title of a new farce comedy written, staged and acted by James Gleason.

Little Eugenia Clinchard appears with Max Waltman, Blanche Bernhardt and Elbert Horton in a charming romantic drama, "In Bohemia's Land."

Howard Russell offers a quaint bit of farce, called "With Mr. Simp."

PANTAGES

With a playlet that has a really new plot—impossible as that may sound—Frank Bonner, Oakland favorite of old, broke all records for dramatic sketch successes this week at the Pantages, and his remarkable little play, "The Getaway," is still packing the house. Auda Due, a noted stock actress, makes her debut in vaudeville in the piece. Both play two roles with consummate artistry. The sketch itself is one that gives new ideas—that perhaps other playwrights will follow.

Karl Emmy and his tiny terriers at the Pantages this week is one of the most entertaining features that has been presented in some time. Emmy has wonderful control of his pets and the sagacious canines are put through their paces without the slightest hesitancy by the trainer.

There are several other good numbers on the bill which includes Lalla Selbini, a dainty miss on wheels; Sullivan and Mason, two capital comedians and singers; Carney, Ashley and Small, top notch musical lads; Innes and Ryan, smart dressers in a smart act; several pretty girls, with Harry Cleveland and Blanche Treloase in a musical tabloid, "The Land of Tomorrow."

The new show opening next Sunday will be headed by a dramatic one-act playlet entitled "On the Yukon."

FRANKLIN

One of the greatest and most realistic modern melodramas ever produced for the motion picture screen will head an excellent bill at the Franklin the last half of this week, commencing today. The title of the picture is "Via Wireless." It was produced by Pathe, seemingly without regard for expense. The late Paul Armstrong was the author of the play from which the photoplay was adapted and anyone who knows anything of his work as a playwright will be ready to expect something distinctly out of the ordinary in "Via Wireless."

Bruce McRae and Gail Kane appear in the leading roles, but the most distinguished member of the cast is Woodrow Wilson, shown addressing a great crowd. The sinking of a large yacht by a mine and the summoning of a battleship by wireless telegraphy are scenes in the picture that are vividly portrayed.

An entertaining comedy in which Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew play the leading roles, also a fable by George Ade and a Hearst-Selig News pictorial make up the remainder of the bill.

OAKLAND PHOTO

Following her universal success in "Kindling," of which she was the star, Miss Charlotte Walker, one of America's most beautiful and accomplished actresses, is now appearing in her second photo-dramatic role at the Oakland Photo Theater, "Out of Darkness," an original piece by Hector Turnbull.

The heroine of this photo-melodrama is a young woman of society who owns the great Scott canneries. Wrecked one night in a small boat off the Florida coast she is picked up injured. Recovering consciousness, she loses her memory. Kind but poor friends care for her and she obtains a position in the Scott canneries, where she works under impossible conditions—conditions in her former life she had refused to remedy. Eventually she recovers her memory and sets about to correct these evils.

Appearing on the same program will be Clara Kimball Young, the most charming actress in films, in "Marrying Money," the smart story of society life.

HIGHWAY WORK GOES AHEAD.

SAN LEANDRO, Sept. 23.—Four thousand gallons of oil have been employed within the past two weeks in treating the road surface on Stokes avenue, Maud avenue and Santa Clara street. The improvement of these roads is nearing completion under the supervision of Marshal Joseph Peralta. Improvement of East Fourteenth street, including its widening to a uniform width of ninety feet, is still under consideration of the town board and early action is looked for.

JOINT BANQUET GIVEN C. RUESS

Farewell Tendered Probation Officer by Social and Welfare Workers.

As a farewell to Christopher Ruess, probation officer of Alameda county, who has accepted the pastorate of the Unitarian church in Fresno, the Social Workers' club and the Child's Welfare league joined in giving a banquet last Tuesday evening at The Fairs, in Telegraph avenue. Mrs. Helen Artieda, secretary of the Public Welfare league, presided, and Rev. Albert W. Palmer acted as toastmaster.

Three-minute responses expressing the good will and appreciation felt by the associates and friends of the guest of honor, were given to the following toasts: "The Trials of a District Attorney," W. H. L. Hynes; "How a Judge Trains His Probation Officer," Judge Ogden of the Juvenile court; "Mr. Ruess and the Girls," Miss Beatrice McCall of the Woman's Protective Bureau; "Mr. Ruess as an Employe," Mrs. Charles S. Chamberlain, probation committee; "Not Forgetting the Girls in Oakland," Miss Grace Fisher, Y. W. C. A. president; "Charity and Charitable-Heartedness," Miss Grace Graham, Oakland Associated Charities; "Hands Across the Bay," J. C. Astredo; "The Fellowship of Social Workers as a Civic Asset," Miss Ida Green of the Travelers' Aid; "Putting the Probation Officer out of Business," George Dickie, public recreation, "Mr. Ruess as a Wire Puller," Mrs. Susan J. Fenton, Child's Welfare league; "How the Probation Officer Butts Into the Legislature," William Satterwhite; "Initiative and Co-operation in Social Work," George Turner, of the Boys' and Girls' Aid society; "Hard Days and After," Judge Turner; "Mr. Ruess as a Boss," Ollie Snediger, "Keeping the Probation Work Out of Politics," Dr. S. L. Shuey, probation committee; "The Spirit of Co-operation in the Probation Office," Mrs. Sol Kahn for the Daughters of Israel; "A Few Tiffs with Mr. Ruess," Fred Foss; "Mr. Ruess as a Politician," Supervisor Mullins; "How Mr. Ruess Interferes with Big Business," A. C. Lavenson; "Mr. Ruess and the Genial Reporters," L. D. Compton, "one of them"; "Opening up the Public Schools," Mrs. Nellie Nelson; "The Babyhood of the Childs' Welfare League," Miss Bessie Wood; "Mr. Ruess for Stick-to-It-iveness," Dr. J. C. Dean, Santa Fe Improvement club; "Utopia, or What is the Loving Thing to Do?" Miss McCarthy; "Mr. Ruess as a Neighbor," Mr. Tickle.

The guests included many prominent Oaklanders, among them: Mrs. Helen Artieda, Rev. N. Baker, Charles Chamberlain, Charles Chapman, Miss Cronin, Mrs. Aileen Allen, Mrs. N. Behr, L. E. Blochmann, Mr. and Mrs. Bohn, Mr. and Mrs. W. Borroughs, L. D. Compton, Dr. J. Dean, E. Decoto, Mr. and Mrs. George Dickie, Judge Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eliot, Dr. Susan Fenton, Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Ella Flynn, Miss Sallie Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foss, Mrs. Walter Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Goding, Mr. and Mrs. N. Graff, Miss Grace Graham, Miss Ida Green, Charles Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hammond, H. S. Harrington, Mrs. Hill, Miss Alice Hoyt, Mrs. Ida Hudson, W. H. L. Hynes, N. Ilohan, Miss L. Jansen, Mrs. Sol Kahn and Miss Kahn, Mrs. Kower, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawson, R. A. Leet, Miss Beatrice McCall, Miss McCarthy, J. D. McCarthy, Mrs. McCoy, Miss McGraw, Miss McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. L. Moore, Mrs. J. Mole, Supervisor Mullins, Mrs. Nellie Nelson, O. Orwig, Judge Ogden, Rev. Albert W. Palmer, Dr. Jessica Peixotto, Mrs. Pollok, Miss Ada Porter, Mrs. Quayle, Dr. and Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Ring, Miss Rich, Mrs. Riego, Miss Theresa Russau, Miss R. Russau, William Satterwhite, Miss Schmitz, Miss H. Schotchler, Dr. S. J. Schuey, Rev. and Mrs. William Day Simonds, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Snedigar, Mrs. J. Spencer, Miss E. Spencer, N. Tickle, Judge and Mrs. Aaron Turner, Miss E. Turner, George Turner, Miss Van Hagan, Mr. and Mrs. H. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. White, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson, Miss Bessie Wood.

TELEPHONE PIONEERS TO HAVE DAY AT FAIR

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Panama-Pacific Exposition, Sept. 23.—One of the most interesting of four "Day" celebrations at the Exposition today is that of the Telephone Pioneers of America in connection with which ceremonies and demonstrations of the transcontinental telephone are being held in the Palace of Liberal Arts. This is China day and a big crowd witnessed Oriental ceremonies in the Chinese pavilion. Ceremonies in connection with Welfare Union day in Recital Hall and Mines and Metallurgy day with special fireworks and scintillator drill on the Marina are among today's celebrations.

The convention of the American Society of Refrigerating Engineers opened this morning in the civic auditorium, where also the International Engineering Congress continued its sessions. Ceremonies in connection with Southern California counties week were held are taking place in the California building. An "at home" day is being held at the Illinois building under the auspices of the Illinois Society of California. Music by the Oakland Musical Club and vocal and instrumental soloists were features of afternoon. This evening the Delta Omega Delta Fraternity will give a ball in the California building. The events of the late evening will include an illuminated aeroplane flight by Silvio Pettirossi.

WORLD SENDS STUDENTS.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Sept. 23.—An idea of the various parts of the world from which Stanford University draws its students may be gained from the student adviser's cards filled by the new students this year. Five registered from Canada, two from Alaska, one each from Hawaii, Mexico and Japan, four are Chinese and two came from the Philippine islands.

TAILORS WALK OUT.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Three thousand men and several hundred women tailors employed in Fifth avenue shops went on strike yesterday after the refusal of their demands for an increase in wages and better working conditions. The strike comes at the busiest season of the year, when the concerns affected have more local patronage than in former years because of the war.

CLUB NOTES

Crowds of prominent Oakland women filled the auditorium of Starr King Hall yesterday afternoon when the Oakland Club gave a highly successful "Donation Tea" for the benefit of the Linen Loan Closet, the pet charity of the organization. A talk by Miss Mollie Conners was one of the principal features of the attractive program arranged by Miss Theresa Russau, chairman of the day.

The remainder of the program included a program of songs by Mrs. Waldo Rucker and sung by Frederick Harrison, the well known young baritone. The composer, who is a member of the Oakland Club, accompanied at the pianoforte. Miss Nelson, accompanied by Miss Georgia McGuire, also gave songs and a reading was contributed by Miss Brummell.

OAKLAND CENTER.

The Oakland Civic Center will meet for the second time this season tomorrow afternoon at Hotel Oakland, when "some ideas with regard to a New Charter" will be presented by the Rev. Albert W. Palmer. Mrs. J. H. Roos will preside as chairman and preceding the program a business session will be called by Mrs. A. E. Carter, the president.

BERKELEY CENTER.

The campaign to help war sufferers was considered at the Berkeley branch of the Oakland Civic Center this afternoon when the initial meeting of the fall term was held in Union hall. Mrs. John Snook, commander of the Belgian relief work in Berkeley, and a prominent society woman of the college town, and Prof. C. R. Bradley, were the speakers. Both described the activities they have been directing.

Speeches by two speakers from the Congressional Union, a report on the work of the California Civic League from Mrs. Dane Coolidge, the president, and a talk by Mrs. F. G. Athern on the achievements of the Social Hygiene Society concluded the unusually lengthy program.

"Grape Week" to Be Held by Shippers

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 23.—The California Fruit Distributers, which handles practically all the deciduous fruit shipments from this state, announced today a "grape week," beginning September 27 and ending October 2. Through newspaper advertising, posters and other publicity methods, the United States will be urged to eat grapes during that period, and to eat them in unparalleled quantities.

In carrying out the program the distributers will prepare trainloads of a special pack, which will be placed on sale in practically every city in the country during that week. The baskets, which will contain four pounds of assorted grapes, will also carry literature on California and its grape industry.

Horse Stampedes Into Crowd at Fair; 6 Hurt

By Associated Press.

OREGON CITY, Ore., Sept. 23.—Six were injured yesterday on the Canby Fair grounds when a runaway race horse crashed from the track across the grounds. Several other persons besides the six injured were knocked down by the horse.

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Check Suitings — 44 inches wide, in black and white novelty checks. Regular 50c the yd. 37½c yd

Curtain Scrim — 40 inches wide, in the Arabian color. Special for Friday only for ..... 10c yd

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Plisse Bloomers — Made with elastic at knee and at waist. Range of colors. Regular 50c value for.... 39c

Dress Aprons — Made of gingham, chambray, percale, crepe and seersucker, in all styles. 85c val. 59c

Knitted Toques — Polo and stocking style in red, navy and gray. Just the thing for motoring... 39c

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Honeycomb Spreads — Large size, good wearing grade in neat patterns. A regular $1.25 value for 98c

Silkoline Comforters — Large size, pure white cotton filled; a neat range of patterns. Regular $1.25 value, for $1.09

Wool Nap Blankets — Extra heavy, large size wool nap Blankets in white or gray. Regular $2.25 $1.89

Axminster Rugs — 27x54 Axminster Rugs, in a neat range of patterns. Heavy, good-wearing grade. Spec.. $1.89

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- VINEGAR, white wine—Gal. 37c; bot..... 16c
- JARS—Mason's: ½-gal.... 69c; Qts. 59c; Pts..... 49c
- SALMON—Tall tins; doz... 95c; Tin 08c
- BRANDY—Cal. grape; gal. $2.95; Bot. 69c
- PORT and SHERRY (3-year-old): 5 bots. $1.35; gal.... 89c
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THE NON-PARTISAN ELECTION LAW.

Mr. Francis V. Keesling, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, publishes a letter today to the Republicans of the state on the subject of the Non-Partisan Election Law, which is to be submitted to the voters next month. He sets forth a number of reasons why it should be defeated, and asks this very pertinent question: "How would a person of ordinary means make a state-wide campaign under the proposed non-partisan system?"

It is patent that if parties and party lines are abolished in state elections and if candidates no longer have the support of an organized party to assist them, in order to be elected to a state office, they will have to effect an organization of their own. This means the expenditure of a great deal of labor, time and money. It means, in short, that official position will be closed to men of moderate means. They will not be able to build up an organization in all the counties of the state and to send speakers and literature and workers afield. The non-partisan law, like many other of the legislative fads which have to do with election machinery, is likely to do much more harm than good and to defeat the very ends which some of its sponsors claim that it will accomplish.

The public service will not be improved by abolishing party lines. There is nothing to warrant this assertion. Most men of frank mind and wide intelligence have already come to the conclusion that the character and the quality of our public officials has not been sensibly improved by the adoption of primary election laws. There were, of course, at times grave abuses under the party system of nominations; but the people always had it within their power to correct these abuses and to drive unpopular and unworthy people from office and from party control.

On the other side of the picture, we have the solid and satisfying fact that in the vast majority of cases the party convention thoroughly sifted men and, in the main, selected nominees who were representative in character and ability. The party felt a responsibility for its work and no convention of late years has been willing to put forward unworthy candidates and with the awakened political conscience in this country, largely due to liberal minded Republicans such as some of those who formed the backbone of the Progressive party, the American people are less likely than ever to have incompetent or dishonest candidates thrust upon them by political organizations. We know that it would be wholly impossible for one of the great parties or national conventions to nominate an unfit man. So there is no reason why this same carefulness in selecting candidates should not extend to state conventions. This is the right direction in which to work. The non-partisan law is un-American and contrary to the spirit of our institutions. This government tried the non-partisan experiment in its earlier days and we were finally forced to abandon it and to amend the Constitution to provide in national elections for the working of the party system.

EASY MONEY FOR CALIFORNIA FARMERS?

The Hon. Myron T. Herrick of Ohio, former governor of that state and recently ambassador to France, has made himself an expert authority on the subject of agricultural banks and rural credits. He devoted much of his time for two or three years in Europe to a careful and scientific study, from the practical viewpoint, of all phases of this subject. Mr. Herrick is himself a highly successful banker and business man and is competent to give advice which is worth serious consideration. He is not a theorist, bleating for notoriety, nor a politician, trying to capture the agriculture vote.

Mr. Herrick, in the beginning of his address yesterday at the Rural Credits Conference in connection with the Exposition, promptly laid stress upon one very important point in connection with the whole question of rural credit, when he demolished the theory that the main purpose of a rural credit bank or organization is to secure lower interest rates; or, in other words, to make promiscuous borrowing easy. There are a great many farmers who are earnest, patient, hard-working, honest men and who ought to be able to borrow from time to time and to borrow at reasonable rates. On the other hand, there are thousands of men who would only borrow to enable themselves to indulge in extravagances and wasteful expenditure. It ought to be the business of the state to restrain improper borrowing as much as it may rightfully become its business to put the worthy farmer in the way of obtaining necessary money upon proper terms. The rural credit movement is not, as Mr. Herrick pointed out, centered on the mere effort to secure a reduction of interest rates. It has a better inspiration than that, and its higher purposes are to encourage farmers and to enable them to mobilize their resources so that American agriculture may keep pace with the progress in every other industry. Its economic object is to bring better prices both to the consumer and to the producer and to increase and perpetuate prosperity in the nation. Referring to the participation of the state in banking and loaning institutions for the benefit of the farmers, Mr. Herrick says:

The strongest argument for State aid is the claim that there is a pressing, immediate necessity for it. If that claim is wrong or if any necessity that exists should disappear, then the demands for State aid ought to cease with it. State aid—after saying the most that can be said for it—is merely an expedient to meet an exigency, the existence of which is as stoutly denied by some people as it is asserted by others. Furthermore, it is advocated without fully considering its effect on the taxpayers not intended to be directly benefited and without a thought of testing and letting the ordinary means of farm finance have a chance to show their worth.

Both factions in the movement agree that in land credit the greatest need, next to an adequate flow of capital, is the repayment of loans at fair interest rates and by small installments running through a long series of years, that is that farmers should have the right to borrow on a mortgage not through three and five-year promissory notes (as at present), but through 30, 30 or 75-year annuity contracts, so that they shall not be required to pay off their debt any faster than they can recover it from the yearly savings from the soil.

The long-term loan reducible by periodical payments or annuities is the only safe way to finance the purchase or improvements of land, yet it has never been tried in the United States for farmers, although there is no railroad that bought a right of way, no city that acquired a park, no private enterprise that erected a great plant that did not obtain by prior stipulation this method for the retirement of its obligations.

Mr. Herrick properly lays stress on the statement that the resources of rural co-operative banks, if they are established in California, should be for the collective rather than for the individual farmer, otherwise the spirit and in the end the practice of co-operation would soon disappear. He thinks that land credit is less important to be considered in connection with our farmers than co-operative banking. Mr. Herrick's studies abroad lead him to the belief that co-operative rural banking will adapt itself particularly well to American needs in agriculture at the present time. Co-operative banking is not to be considered as a charitable or benevolent institution to help the down-and-out class of persons who are usually weak and incompetent. True co-operation in rural banking is organized mutual self-help which assumes that men will work better and harder together than when standing alone. Its object is to enable honest, self-respecting, intelligent farmers to utilize their own resources and strength and to relieve them of the necessity of seeking state aid. The people of California should give their serious thought to Mr. Herrick's suggestions on the subject of co-operative banking and selling organizations for farmers. This plan seems fundamentally to be more worthy of adoption than the alternative one, which contemplates the use of the state's credit and cash for the benefit of the farmers.

GERMANY UNDERSTANDS.

The official German "war book," issued by the General Staff for the instructions of officers, has this to say on the subject of a belligerent securing in a neutral country money to finance its war expenditures:

"The most indispensable means for the conduct of a war is money. For this very reason it is difficult to prevent altogether the support of one or other party by citizens of neutral states, since there will always be bankers who, in the interest of the state in whose success they put confidence, and whose solvency in the case of defeat they do not doubt, will promote a loan. Against this nothing can be said from the point of view of the law of nations; rather the government of a country cannot be made responsible for the actions of individual citizens. It could only accept responsibility if business of this kind was done by bankers immediately under the control of the state or on public stock exchanges."

With the going into effect of the new law exempting certain minor schools and colleges from taxation the exempt list is found to run into formidable figures. The total college exemption of the state now stands according to figures subscribed by Comtroller Chambers, at $1,370,345. The "shipping" exemption runs to $7,923,453. Soldiers' and sailors' exemptions aggregate $761,669. That these withdrawals from the tax list very considerably augment the burdens of ordinary taxpayers need hardly be stated. It is an interesting fact and one which goes to illustrate a decline in that "eternal vigilance," which we are told is the price of liberty, that the public now accepts without question exemptions which a few decades ago would have been resisted universally. Exemptions from the financial burdens of state is one of the old grievances in the fight of the masses against the classes. The present generation appears to have little knowledge of the struggles of past centuries, to have lost that instinct of opposition to exemption, which has been so large a factor, regarded historically, in the struggle for liberty and equality.

With the death at Summit, N. J., yesterday of Anthony Comstock a notable career of a forceful national figure came to an end. His name has been as often printed and spoken as that of the late Al C. Spaulding, famous baseball character. He was an uncompromising enemy of vice as he saw it and naturally made many enemies, but no charge of dishonesty or insincerity against him was ever sustained, though there were many attempts to do so. He made the fight against uncleanliness in literature and art his life work. But he was neither a competent critic of art nor of literature. He had a narrow vision and the disturbing habit of concentrating on a minute detail of an object and separating it from the whole of its origin, purpose or nature in order to condemn and attack it. Yet he did a vast good and for this we should forget that he was very often a boor and a bore. Many individuals will probably be glad Anthony Comstock is dead, but the nation may well be glad that he lived.

While the world is so engrossed with war and finance the feats of Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Swedish explorer, should not be overlooked. In command of the Canadian Arctic expedition which left Vancouver, B. C., in the spring of 1913, Captain Stefansson has for the last two years been engaged in exploration work of the hitherto untraversed area north of the American continent and west of the known American Arctic archipelago. A few days ago word came from the explorer at Herschel Island by way of Nome Alaska, the first information concerning his whereabouts since April of last year. He declares he has discovered a new land along the coast of which he sailed for about 100 miles. The point on the new land at which he made observations was in north latitude 77 degrees and 43 minutes and north longitude 115 degrees and 43 minutes west. Captain Stefansson is making further explorations this summer and will winter in the Arctic.

According to telegraphic reports there is "too much Morgan" in the negotiation for establishment of a credit in this country of $1,000,000,000 by financial agents of the allies. The story is easily believable. The Morgan temperament is notably one of selfish inspirations. Besides, there are special motives in the immediate case. Until now young Mr. Morgan has been little more than the son of his father. Successful conduct of the present negotiations would give him an individual standing in the sphere of international finance. In truth, it would probably make him the largest personal figure in the money world. This, of course, is in the mind of Mr. Morgan, and is, perhaps, the controlling consideration in his present course. It is natural that other financial men should resent the effort on Mr. Morgan's part to take all the honors of a transaction in which many are interested.

The nine thousand police men in New York City have indorsed woman suffrage and one of their reasons is that "the women of New York are as intelligent, patriotic and law-abiding as the 4,000,000 women who now vote in twelve equal suffrage states." The statement is indisputably correct, but we venture the suggestion that there is not nine of the 9000 who can name the twelve equal suffrage states, and from the crime reports of New York City it is apparent the policemen are not the most reliable authorities on violations of the law.

The newest fulmination by the I. W. W. to the effect that it will continue its criminal policy of incendiarism until the convicted murderers, Ford and Suhr, shall be released from Folsom prison will fail of its purpose. Instead of weakening the position of Governor Johnson, it will tend to strengthen it. The time has not come when the people of California will consent that the policies of state shall be under duress at the hands of incendiaries and murderers.

THE FORUM

The Editor of The Tribune disclaims responsibility for opinions and statements expressed in this column. Brief contributions on current topics of general interest are welcome. They will not as a rule be printed unless accompanied by the name of the writer which, if desired, will be withheld from publication.

THE MATCH VENDOR.

Editor of The Tribune: I notice the public is getting wise to all kinds of swindle games. There is one device I have not heard about and which is operated in open on the business streets of the city. I am referring to the small match boxes you see on the buildings, where you insert a penny in the slot and are "supposed" to receive a small box of matches in return. On last Sunday evening I needed matches and happened to notice one of these devices containing the much desired article. I stopped, inserted my coin, but after working that little lever many times I saw it was useless to try to receive the goods I had paid for. Yesterday morning I was on the corner of Twelfth and Webster streets and, needing matches, I again inserted a coin, this time in a different box. I tried many times to make the little lever bring out the small box I needed, but of no use, although my coin had a way all its own to disappear. This happened on the southeast corner of Twelfth and Webster.

I would like to know how many men, women and children have had the same experience and loss as I have had in the last twenty-four hours at different locations. Who is this corporation or its agents or whatever you call it, allowed to go once or twice a week and unlock the money receiver, shake the money into their pockets and still find the stock in full? The collector is not going to remedy the trouble because nobody kicked, but after he cleans out the money box he leaves it for future victims.

It is one of the coarsest ways of robbing the public I can think of and many a man or woman must have had reason to complain, but did not have time or think it worth while. I think it is a case for the police of this proud city of Oakland to look into. How many of these out-of-order-for-matches but in-order-for-coin devices are distributed in the city. I think they would find many more. The number on Broadway is 1536, and the other on the southeast corner of Twelfth and Webster.

A TAXPAYER AND SUBSCRIBER.
Oakland, September 23.

THE STATE PRESS

Reforestation

T. P. Lukens, father of the successful method of propagating the attenuata pine in the mountains back of Pasadena, is greatly pleased at the prospect of having the county supervisors set aside the sum of $10,000 for reforestation work and for work at Henniger's Flats. It seems that this sum of $10,000 is in addition to the appropriation of $15,000 planned for the building of trails and for fire protection, making a planned appropriation of $25,000 from the county for forest work the coming year.—Pasadena Star.

Certified Citizenship.

The civil service commission, after being requested by the board of control to certify to the citizenship of all state employes, appealed to Attorney General Webb to ascertaain whether the members of the civil service commission would be responsible to the state for such employes' salary, should a mistake be made by the board in the discharge of this duty. Under the law, according to the attorney general, none but native born or naturalized citizens of the United States may become employes of the state, and it is the duty of the civil service commission to keep an official roster of all persons holding state positions, as well as a list of eligibles, who may be certified for positions subject to the provisions of the civil service act.—Sacramento Union.

ITALIANS' RUSH TO WAR CUTS SUPPLY OF LABOR.

The rush of Italians from this country to Italy to serve in their nation's army has reached such proportions as to cause great shifts in the eastern labor market. With those who have gone to war and those who have been attracted by the higher wages paid at ammunition factories, the railroads are losing thousands of Italian workmen.

Port Warden J. E. March of New York believes about 300,000 Italians have already sailed. Others are applying by hundreds at the Italian consulate for tickets to Italy.

The railroad labor situation, said Mr. March, is not greatly perplexing because no large labor contracts are being carried out just now. Much labor is needed, however, on the state roads, and for this the men are paid $1.50 or $1.60 a day. Many Italians are going to the ammunition factories, where they receive $2.25 or $2.50 a day.

A STORY OF IRISH CHIVALRY.

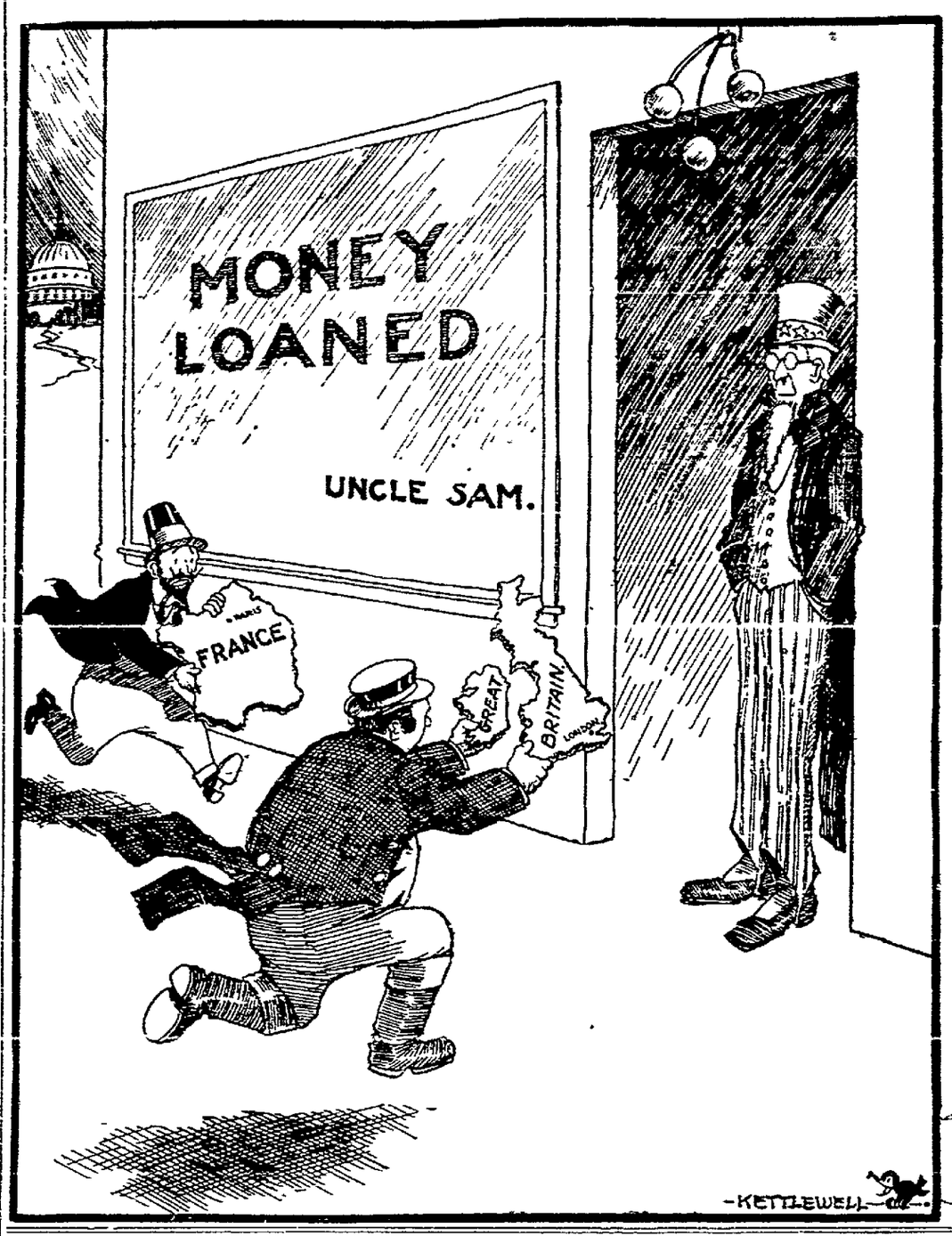
One of my wounded friends was enthusiastic over one feat which he regarded as the noblest of the war. In the beginning of that terrible retreat from Mons, which the genius of Sir John French alone saved from being an absolute disaster, there came a time when a section of the Irish Guards were told to hold the road at all costs. Most of the officers had been killed, or else were so badly wounded that they could no longer lead, and the charge fell on a gray-haired sergeant major, who swiftly seized a corner shop commanding two roads as an ideal place to hold up the Prussians until our rear guard was in safety.

As he was about to place his two machine guns a woman stopped him and said, "You cannot stay here, sergeant. There is a woman in labor in a room above." "Good heavens!" he answered. "And at such a time! Now, then, ma'am," he continued with ironical good humor, "can't you tell the lady to hurry up as she's keeping an army waiting? How long will she be?" The reply was, "About half an hour."

The sergeant told off ten of his men with stretchers and blankets to wait until the child was born, then to convey it and its mother into safety, after that to return to their section. In the meantime, he advanced an eighth of a mile and formed a weaker spot as well as he could, scolding his men the while and telling them not to make too much noise, else they would alarm the "babby." And so in a place which left them exposed to the full danger of the Prussian attack, these Irishmen fought until every man was either killed, wounded or made prisoner, rather than disturb a woman in the crucial hour of maternity.

"This," cried my wounded friend, "is one of the noblest stories ever told of a war. Even Thermopylae is insignificant beside it."—London Outlook.

UNCLE SAM—PAWNBROKER!



NOTABLE PERSONS.

Major-General George W. Goethals, builder of the Panama Canal, inspected San Francisco's municipal engineering enterprises yesterday in company with City Engineer O'Shaughnessy.

Colonel John C. Gresham, medal of honor officer, officer in charge of militia affairs for the Western Department of the Army, and acting department adjutant, goes on the retired list for age Saturday, and will leave this city for Los Angeles, where he will be placed on instruction duty with the organized militia of California at his own request.

Lafayette Young, editor of the Des Moines "Capital," said last night:

"I can tell you who is going to win this war in Europe. The side that can continue longest to replace dead soldiers in the trenches with live ones."

Henry Ford, the Detroit manufacturer, has undertaken to demonstrate to the Navy Department that gasoline is available as motive power for submarines even while submerged. In addition Ford has evolved a scheme by which aeroplanes without passengers may be directed and used by wireless as practically self-acting engines of war.

THE JESTER.

As Understood.

"Madam, you are a little run down. You need frequent baths and plenty of fresh air, and I advise you to dress in the coolest, most comfortable clothes, nothing stiff or formal."

When the lady got home, this is how she rendered to her husband the advice given to her by the doctor:

"He says I must go to the seashore, do plenty of motoring, and get some new summer gowns."—Philadelphia Times.

Like Old Friends.

At a dinner and theater party recently given in Washington a beautiful debutante was frightened beyond measure because Senator Blank had been selected for her escort. The poor girl was almost in tears from nervousness.

"But, mother," she protested, "whatever can I talk to him about?"

The mother smiled. "You'll like him, dear, every one does."

It was late that night when the debutante came running into her mother's boudoir, a happy flush on her young cheek. "I've had a perfectly dandy time," she announced, "and I think the senator's fine. He isn't at all what I expected him to be. Why, we hadn't gone two blocks before we were talking about fleas in Italian hotels!"—Everybody's.

Not a Ford.

Motorist to Friend—"Do you know that to all purchasers of a —— car they are presenting a squirrel?"

Friend—"Good gracious! no. What is that for?"

Motorist—"So that it can run along behind and pick up the nuts."

"Life's Handicap."

Lord Save and Sele, who has been appointed commandant of the Golder's Green Volunteer Training Corps, is a very strong opponent of "Votes for Women," apropos of which fact he has told an amusing story.

He once attended a book dinner, at which all the guests were expected to appear with an emblem denoting the title of a book.

Lord Save and Sele went in ordinary evening dress, but he carried a lady's petticoat over his arm.

No one could guess what book he represented, but when he told them everyone was greatly amused.

His lordship's emblem represented Kipling's famous book, "Life's Handicap."

His lordship won the first prize.—Tit-Bits.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

There was a grand choral concert at the First Congregational church last evening under the direction of Professor W. L. Tomlins. The chorus numbered 400 adult voices and such artists as Mrs. Carr, Mrs. John L. Howard, Sigmund Beel, Louis Heine and Mr. Betherich appeared.

Jee Gam, the Chinaman who for some years acted as interpreter in the police court of this city, is now a minister of the Congregational church. He was ordained in Bethany Congregational church, San Francisco, last night by Rev. Dr. Williams and Rev. Dr. Mocar of this city.

Robert Smile, George D. Metcalf and D. E. Collins of the Oakland contingent of Knights Templar, who attended the Boston conclave, returned home yesterday.

Fred Collins and Arthur Clark have returned from Alaska, where they have been on a mining expedition. They expect to return in early spring for two or three years' prospecting in the interior.

Mrs. Jewell of Crockett, who underwent a surgical operation in Oakland recently, has returned home and is progressing favorably.

The Board of Education at their last meeting forgot to pass the salary claims for the past month, and a special meeting has been called for Monday night for that purpose.

WHAT IS DOING TODAY.

Melba at the Municipal Opera House.
Supervisors' committee meeting.
Luncheon to the Rotary Club at the California Cotton Mills.
Berkeley Civic Center meeting.
Ladies' Democratic Club of Alameda County meeting.
Alameda Eagles Ladies' Night.

WHAT IS DOING TOMORROW

Meeting of the Society for the Promotion of Vocational Training.
Junior dance, University of California.
Encinal Yacht Club dance.

ONE FROM MOTHER.

A Chicago matron of great beauty called one day upon a friend, bringing with her her 10-year-old daughter, who promises to be as handsome as her mother.

The callers were shown into a room where the friend had been receiving a milliner, and many hats were scattered about. During the conversation the 10-year-old amused herself by trying these on. She was particularly pleased by the effect of the last one. Turning to her mother, she said:

"Mother, I look just like you now, don't I?"

"Sh!" cautioned the mother, with uplifted finger. "Don't be vain, dear."—New York Times.

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TRACE "LOVE TRAIL" IN FAVAR MURDER

FAIR ACTRESS VICTIM OF JEALOUSY?

Heart Secrets Bared by Beautiful Woman in Letters to Friend.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 23.—The love secrets of a beautiful woman and the jealousy of her many suitors were heard today in the search for the slayer of Marguerite Favar, Los Angeles actress, and J. C. Crowell, wealthy oil dealer, who were found murdered in Memphis, Tenn.

Detectives this morning began work on what they termed the "love trail," which they said would probably result in the identification of the jealous mad lover of the actress who committed the murders.

The "love trail" had its beginning in Los Angeles, home of the slain woman.

Pretty dancing girls who were members of the theatrical troupe of which Miss Favar was a leader will be questioned as to her many love affairs.

Memphis police in dispatches from that city admitted today that they were baffled in the work of solving the mystery of the double murder.

UNCLE CONFIRMS FINDINGS.

It was stated that Fred Bradley of Greenwood, Miss., which was the home of the millionaire, Crowell, informed the Memphis police that he was an uncle of Miss Favar and confirmed the information revealed in the investigation of the woman's life here.

Dr. Edwin Hyde, for many years a friend of Miss Favar, and who identified her after the murder, today told of her love secrets as revealed to him in her letters.

The alluring beauty of the woman, he said, caused men in every city she visited to become infatuated with her. Continually in her letters to him she referred to her suitors and in letters of recent date made special mention of a wealthy man she had met in Greenwood, Miss. This man, Dr. Hyde said, was undoubtedly Crowell. He said that she laughed at his warning to her that it would be better for her if she married and settled down.

HUSBAND KILLED SELF.

"In May, 1910, Miss Favar married F. D. Thompkins, a retired United States army officer," he said. "Thompkins was employed in the building of the Los Angeles aqueduct. Miss Favar often told me that she loved Thompkins sincerely and his tragic death caused her great sorrow. Thompkins committed suicide by taking poison a few months after the marriage. The reason for his act was never known.

"His death resulted practically in Miss Favar forming a barrier against marriage. She said she would never marry again. And I know she kept this vow. For the past two years, since the death of her mother, Miss Favar has been wooed by men in all parts of the United States.

"Many wealthy men promised her happiness if she would become their bride. Miss Favar in her letters to myself made light of these proposals. I warned her that this would mean that she would get in trouble some day. She laughed at my warning."

ONCE CREATORE'S WIFE.

Fred Carlton, cashier of the Abbott Kinney Company at Venice, declared today that he was an intimate friend of Thompkins. He said that Thompkins came to Los Angeles from the Philippines, where he had served as an United States army officer.

Carlton confirmed the information that Miss Favar was first married to Creators, the famous band leader. He could not tell the reason for their separation. He acted as a pallbearer at Thompkins' funeral, he said.

A man who posed as a husband of the slain woman and assumed the name of her dead husband, "F. D. Thompkins," is named as the suspect in the case by the Memphis police. Miss Favar and Crowell, who was manager of the Buckeye Cotton Oil Company of Greenwood, Miss., were found in Miss Favar's apartments at a fashionable hotel in Memphis. They had been slain by blows. A fire, which was started evidently to destroy any clew to the slayer, resulted in the discovery of the double murder.

According to a dispatch from Portland today Miss Favar began her career in that city eighteen years ago under the direction of Fred T. Merrill.

Her correct name is said by Portland friends to be Addie Favarth. She came from Australia with her mother when she was 14 years of age. They appeared first at a music hall.

She reappeared in Portland at the Lewis and Clark Exposition in 1905 as the "Peacock Girl" at the Turkish village. During the exposition she met and married Creatore, the famous bandmaster.

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Fugitive Chased Through Streets

BREAKS AWAY IN FRONT OF CITY HALL

Two Prisoners Captured With Stolen Goods in Their Possession.

Within an hour after they had broken into the home of James D. Kennedy, Bacon and Kenwyn streets, and had stolen clothes, jewelry and silverware, valued at over $700, two burglars were captured by Patrolman Rossick early this morning as they stepped from an automobile at Eleventh and Webster streets. The men had several suitcases in their possession in which they carried the loot.

Rossick marched his two prisoners to the city hall, but as he was directing them to go through the double doorway at the Fourteenth-street entrance to the building, one of the men broke away and dashed down the street.

PURSUES FUGITIVE.

Rossick jammed his remaining prisoner through the door, shouted to the desk sergeant to hold him and started in pursuit of the fugitive. The two raced down Fourteenth street to Broadway and turned south on Broadway. Rossick was overtaking his man and fired several shots in the air and calling on him to halt. Realizing his danger, the burglar stopped and Rossick captured him.

The two men gave their names as Forrest Mathew and Eugene Cunnea. The police are investigating as to whether they have a previous record or not. The men had in their possession when captured all the loot taken from Kennedy's home.

HOUSE RANSACKED.

The home had been entered by a rear window and had been ransacked from cellar to basement. Silverware, jewelry, including a bracelet set with twenty sapphires, a pearl set piece, several suits of clothes, including an evening dress, underwear, silk pajamas and other personal effects were taken.

Rossick had seen the two men as they stepped from an automobile and became suspicious when he saw they carried suitcases. He halted them and asekd where they were going at that time in the morning. The men refused to give an explanation, and Rossick took them into custody.

Frank Fisher was arrested at the Mint Hotel, on Fifth street, San Francisco, today after the two men captured last night had confessed that they roomed at the Mint Hotel with Fisher. Fisher will be brought to Oakland to be questioned. The two burglars arrested last night declare that he had nothing to do with the burglary at the home of James D. Kennedy in Oakland. Articles which had been stolen in Oakland were found by the San Francisco police in the rooms.

CHABOT OBSERVATORY WILL BE COMPLETED

Board Will Ask Supervisors for Money; May Start Subscription

The new Chabot Observatory will be built this year. This was decided last night by the Board of Education, after a lengthy conference with a committee of school principals and a committee from the Merchants' Exchange. Appeal will be made to the Board of Supervisors to assist the building fund out of the county advertising appropriation, on the ground that the observatory is an advertisement of the best kind. If this appeal fails a public subscription will probably be taken to complete the structure and pay for the telescope and the land.

The session last night was almost entirely devoted to consideration of the Chabot Observatory puzzle. The board owes a balance of $9700 on the great telescope now on exhibit at the exposition, awaiting installation, and a $6000 balance on the land. To pay all indebtedness, completing the observatory, will take $27,400. The city council has allowed $10,000 for the work, this cutting the expense figure down to that mentioned from $37,400. Work on the dome for the telescope, now in course of construction at the site near Mills College, has been carried on with the Chabot fund. About $1000 is needed to complete this portion of the work.

William P. Hook and Wilber Walker of the Merchants' Exchange met with the board on the matter, and Hook later obtained from Professor Charles Burckhalter full figures as to the cost of the observatory complete.

WISHES ALL AT ONCE.

"If we are going to get any money for you," he said, "We want to get it all and have done with the matter. There has been too much appropriating money and then coming back for more, and it has caused the public to lose confidence in our public officials."

"I never gave out a wrong figure!" declared Burckhalter.

"I am talking about the auditorium, that cost twice as much as it should and is set on a mud flat that it will sink in two years. You know that, Professor Burckhalter."

Architect J. J. Donovan urged that the work on the observatory be pursued, if possible, as at present, under Burckhalter's direction.

"There are engineering problems there that only the highest training can cope with," he said. "That dome is a marvel. Professor Burckhalter has done one of the cleverest engineering feats I have ever seen, and his work his given us, for a few thousand dollars, something that we could not duplicate for ten thousand."

"Do you mean that the expenditure of five thousand as it has been spent is worth ten?" asked Hook.

"I do," said Donovan.

"You are thinking of the engineering skill and its money value, I presume," said Hook.

"Exactly," said Donovan.

"Well," said Hook, "I don't take much stock in all these professional ideas."

HIS ONE DREAM.

"Professor Burckhalter," said Donovan, "has worked with his whole heart, soul and body—for our children. The man's salary is nothing. It is the satisfaction of his work, and this new observatory has been his one dream. Let us give it to him. Oakland is famous, among scientists, through Professor Burckhalter. The observatory, built by day labor, under his care, will be the finest in the West, at a moderate cost. You ought to support a man doing as much as he has for the city."

"We are in favor of finishing the observatory," said Hook, "but we want figures to go on. Business men need facts."

"Here!" shouted Director Boyle. "Here's my hat. I will put a dollar in it. Let every other member do the same and we will start the fund!" Boyle's proposition was laughed down.

"It's up to the people to pay for this, though," said Cook.

"The council appropriated the money once, and then diverted it to build a municipal woodyard," said Boyle. "We were promised it back. We went ahead believing the public would support us."

"All I want is the building," said Burckhalter. "We will not ask furniture. We can save the nail kegs until we get more money."

COST IS FIGURED.

The figures for completion of the entire observatory was compiled by Professor Burckhalter as follows:

Completion of dome and reception room (in dome), $2000.

Small dome and library, $3060.

Transit room, $1000.

Main building, with classrooms, $12,000.

Telescope balance, $9700, and plate-holder, $900.

Fence, $900; water system, $800; roads, trails, trees and improvements, $700, and gas plant $400.

This gives a total of $31,400, added to which is the $6000 balance due on the land, making $37,400. The council has already appropriated $10,000 for the work, leaving $27,400 to be raised. Meetings will be held with the Merchants' Exchange-Commercial Club and other bodies to outline further plans this week.

ASK SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS.

Demands for improvements in a number of schools, and only $35,000 to expend for improvements on the entire school system is the puzzle facing the board. Mothers' Clubs at the Fremont High School demand a $15,000 domestic science building, extra land for the Melrose school is urged, and other clubs demand playgrounds and other improvements far in excess of the amount at hand.

After a vain attempt to sum up the situation President Cook last night referred the entire matter to committee of the whole to be decided next Wednesday night.

Invitation was extended the Merchants' Exchange to survey the school budget and funds and make a report. Wilber Walker, present last night, said that the principal difficulty was in the county being forced to levy city school taxes "Get that law changed," he said, "and you will be better able to handle the matter."

Complaint of Director Boyle that the furnaces in the new schools were "skimped," red brick being put in instead of fire brick, was made, and an investigation ordered. Building Inspector Leland will be asked to report and explain.

An attempt to add a lightsome touch of humor to a medical report landed Dr. N. K. Foster, health officer of the board, on the carpet last night. Foster, in his report on medical conditions, stated that the city had dismissed C. L. Taylor and Dr. R. A. Archibald, from whom he had expected data.

"Although I am winged, I will report as I can," he said.

"This, according to Director W. H. Edwards, was an offense to the dignity of the board.

Dr. Foster explained that he did not refer to his cut in salary when he said he was "winged," and expressed surprise at the board's attitude.

"I never dreamed that you would take it amiss," he said. "I simply meant that I was unable to furnish as full a report as possible."

"It looks like you meant Archibald and Taylor were killed and you winged by the new administration," said Edwards."

"Nothing further from my thought," said Dr. Foster.

"Well, I think medical reports should be more dignified in their language," said Edwards. The matter was dropped.

Wilbur Walker, substitute machinist at the Technical High School, was put on eight-hour duty at a salary of $1000 per annum. Notice was given that the teachers of Industrial Education and Vocational Guidance will hold their next session in Oakland September 24. E. N. Moore was named supervisor of penmanship in the Oakland schools, and Miss Isabelle Henderson, kindergarten teacher, resigned. Japanese classes were given permission to meet in the Harrison school. The sum of $5369 was transferred from the kindergarten to elementary teachers' salary fund to replace salary payments made before the regular kindergarten fund was available.

Dr. J. F. McMath, Dentist, moved to Thompson Building, 17th and Broadway, Oakland.—Advertisement.

Deputy No Longer Believes in Signs

Deputy County Clerk Joe Clark likes to smoke—but he didn't smoke this morning—not for fully two hours. Then he found out that he could.

Clark came back from his vacation this morning and reported for duty at the county clerk's office. "Fat" Larue, however, had gotten there first—and "planted" a sign. It read "No Smoking." It looked like a new rule. Clark abstained—and swore. Every minute he grew more nervous.

Then the light dawned. County Clerk George Gross came in, smoking a good cigar. Explanations followed—and a cigarette. Clark is happy again.

Girl's Body in Lake; Murder Theory Held

By Associated Press.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 23.—The body of Miss Jennie Davis, 28, was found floating in Shaker Lake today by Robert T. Hattwick, caretaker of the Shaker Lakes Canoe Club. Police believe the woman was murdered by being thrown into the lake after an attack.

FRANKLIN HELM IS ARRESTED

MINING MAN DENIES CHARGES

FRIENDS RALLYING TO SUPPORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—Samuel J. Rich, wealthy Mormon and prominent citizen of Blackfoot, Idaho, together with a representative of the attorney-general's office of that state, and Sheriff A. H. Simons of Bingham county, are hurrying to San Francisco this morning to confront Franklin Helm, well-known mining and real estate operator and close friend of former United States Senator A. V. Lewis, arrested yesterday at the Palace Hotel, charged with obtaining money under false pretences. Although Helm has protested his innocence, and powerful and influential friends here have expressed their faith in him, telegrams received by Chief of Police White from Utah this morning are emphatic and insistent that the man be held. At an early hour this morning it was learned that the governor of Utah had issued extradition papers, and at 8 o'clock the following telegram was received from Rich.

TO COME AFTER HIM.

"Representative from attorney-general's office leaves Boise for 'Frisco tonight. Advise court will arrive by first possible train in company of sheriff."

From Sheriff Simons this message was wired:

"Hold Franklin Helm by all means. Will be there first train."

Today Detective Sergeant Thomas Ryan, who arrested Helm, learned that the latter did not live at the Palace Hotel, although he had in his possession a key to one of the rooms. This had been given him by A. V. Lewis, who is a resident there. Helm declined to state just where in this city he makes his home. He is frequently seen about the Palace, but has not been registered there. His case will come up before Superior Judge Cabaniss on Saturday on a petition for habeas corpus. He is now at liberty on $2000 bond.

The charge against Helm is the obtaining of $2000 by false pretences from Rich, who explained last night that he had identified him at the Blackfoot Bank, where a check for $2000 on a New York bank was cashed. Eventually, it developed, according to Rich, that Helm did not have the money on deposit in New York, in which city his check had been drawn. Ben S. Rich, nephew of the accuser of Helm, will come to the latter's assistance and exonerate him completely, according to a statement made by Helm last night. Helm's attorney is John J. Greely, but it was Attorney Ludwig Hoessler who appeared for him yesterday.

Noted Alienist Found Dead in His Home

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Dr. Austin Flint, who was much in the public eye recently as the star witness for the state against Harry K. Thaw, was found dead in his home yesterday. Apoplexy, according to his son, Dr. Austin Flint, Jr., was the cause of death. Dr. Flint was 79 years old.

Dr. Flint had been in good health for the last year, according to his son, and his death was totally unexpected.

Dr. Flint, regarded as one of the most widely known alienists, became associated with the case of Harry K. Thaw in 1907, when he was one of a group of witnesses called by District Attorney William Travers Jerome. Five years later Dr. Flint protested vigorously against the attempts of Thaw's counsel to have him liberated from Matteawan. It was said Thaw regarded the alienist as his particular Nemesis.

Dr. Flint was the son of a distinguished physician and was born in Northampton, Mass., March 28, 1836. He was a graduate of Harvard and received his degree from Jefferson Medical College in 1857.

Horse Drops Dead Drawing Pope's Vehicle

By Associated Press.

ROME, via Paris, Sept. 23.—While Pope Benedict was taking his usual drive in the Vatican gardens yesterday, the carriage stopped suddenly with a jolt, both horses having fallen. The coachman and footman jumped down, but the Pope had already left the carriage without assistance. An inspection showed that one of the horses had dropped dead.

Mail Sack Missing; Fortune in It Lost

By Associated Press.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 23.—A mail sack bound from Manatchee, Wash., to Seattle, and said to contain checks amounting to $14,000 and a large amount of cash, disappeared at Wenatchee last Friday night, it became known tonight. The checks were in a remittance letter mailed by a Wenatchee bank to its Seattle correspondent. The amount of cash in the sack is not known, but is said to have been more than $1000. The missing pouch disappeared between the time the mail left the Wenatchee postoffice at 10:30 Friday night and was loaded on the Great Northern fast mail for Seattle at 11:45. The train was due at Wenatchee at 10:45 but was late.

While waiting for the train, the driver of the mail wagon is said to have kept within sight of the mail except for a few minutes, when it is alleged he stepped into the lunch room. The loss of the pouch was discovered when the mail was loaded onto the train but was kept secret in the hope that postoffice inspectors could obtain some trace of it. Thus far they have met with no success.

Argentine Officers Imprisoned for Breach

RIO JANEIRO, Sept. 23.—Six officers, one of them a colonel, have been imprisoned. In disobedience of orders of the minister of war, they called an assembly with the object of supporting the investiture of Marshal Hermes da Fonseca, who recently was elected senator, but declined to serve.

ROAD BUILDER FOR FRANCE HERE

Major of Pioneers Comes to Attend International Engineers' Congress.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—There be Frenchmen who fight, and there be those no less valiant and efficient, who pave the way for the fighters.

The title of the chiefs of the latter division in English is major of pioneers. He is the man who must see that the way is made solid for the armies of French and their thousands of supply trucks along the hundreds of miles of front.

One of these, and one of the most noted of France's engineers and military road builders, is fretting with rheumatic leg in the San Francisco French Hospital. He is Major Jean L. de Pulligny, chief engineer of bridges and highways in France, who was ordered over night to turn over his army of road builders between Luneville and Pont a Mousson and come to San Francisco as his country's representative at the International Engineers' Congress, now in session at the Civic Auditorium.

It was a characteristically sentimental thing for France to do. But this congress happened to be in the United States, and in the city to which Major de Pulligny had come in January, 1913, to pass upon engineering features of the French pavilion site at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

He is the only foreign vice-president who has been able to attend the congress and the only delegate taken from the war front for that purpose.

That he should have survived stray bullets to be laid low at the last by rheumatism brought on by lifting an unaccustomed leg over a horse after being out of the saddle for thirty-five years is particularly exasperating for the engineer.

The French visitor was compelled to leave the special engineers' train at Needles to obtain treatment, arrived here a week ago and went at once to the French Hospital, which he left last Monday long enough to deliver an address at the opening of the engineers' congress, which stirred the delegates.

When Tuesday's reported advance of the French army in the Argonne was mentioned to Major de Pulligny, he showed hopefulness, but no extreme optimism.

"I do not think that is very important," he said, speaking in the most correct English, acquired during his residence of several years in New York, when he headed a French school for government engineers.

"I know little more than you do about the situation at the front, and know little more about the actual fighting when I was back of the trenches. But I do know that there is no restlessness among the French soldiers over the result of the war. They are doing their duty day by day, ready for another winter in the pits; the morale is excellent and the men are well cared for.

"The generally good disciplie is because France as a nation is at the front."

Major de Pulligny, who is a grandfather, has two sons-in-law and a nephew in the trenches.

The engineer's permanent home is in Paris, and he has a country place at St. Germain. He has been granted a two months' leave of absence and will spend several weeks in New York before returning to France.

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SPEAKING OF GREEN GAGES, THIS LAD IS SURELY ONE

Angels Profit by Oaks' Lack of Twirlers and Win 10 to 3.

Indignant at the 4-2 [illegible] we handed them on Tuesday the Angels revolted yesterday and made us look like a parcel of hicks, score 10-3. Most of the responsibility rests with the two players who occupied the center of the diamond for Manager Elliott Cantor. Brough could neither pitch or hold yesterday, and as he never could bat, his general usefulness to the club was 0-0. After the Angels had overcome an Oakland [illegible] lead, and had the game well in hand, Bill Burns took the mound and pitched so satisfactorily that he was rushed in favor of a slender Sacramento youth named Gage. Right here we desire to remark that of all green gages, this particular Gage is the greenest we have ever seen. Gage worked in the eighth and ninth innings. In the eighth he walked two men and allowed two runs. In the ninth, he missed the plate twice by fifteen feet, hit one man in the back, and walked three more, forcing in a run. If the Angels hadn't become ambitious and tried to score two at a time, Gage might have been pitching yet, but Harper overran third and was put out.

Doubles by Johnston and Ness gave the Oaks a run in the second inning, and Stow made the circuit in the third on a walk, hit, error and infield out. The Angels started in the fourth, and from then on it was a farce.

Bill Daniels, who was with the Oaks for a while last year, played center for the Angels yesterday in place of Earl Maggart, who has a flat wheel or something. The score:

LOS ANGELES	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	OAKLAND	AB.	R.	H.	PO.
Daniels, cf	5	0	2	2	Stow, 2b	4	1	2	2
McMillan, 2b	5	1	1	1	Hosp, s	4	0	1	2
Ellis, lf	5	1	2	1	Middleton, lf	2	0	0	0
Koerner, 1b	3	2	1	10	Johnston, cf	4	1	1	2
Harper, rf	3	2	1	1	Ness, 1b	4	0	2	9
Terry, s	4	1	0	3	Gardner, rf	4	0	2	0
Bassler, c	3	1	2	7	Kelly, c	2	0	0	5
Metzger, 3b	4	1	1	3	Duddy, 2b	4	0	0	3
Love, p	4	0	0	0	Brough, p	1	0	0	0
					Tobin	3	1	2	1
Totals	33	10	10	27	Klawitter, c	1	0	0	0
					Burns, p	0	0	0	0
					Gage, p	1	0	0	0
					Litschi, 2b	1	0	0	0
					Totals	34	3	9	27

Tobin batted for Brough in fifth.
Klawitter batted for Middleton in fifth.

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS

Los Angeles	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	2	1	—10
Base hits	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	2	0—10
Oakland	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—3
Base hits	0	3	1	1	1	1	0	2	1	0—9

SUMMARY.

Errors—McMullen, Harper, Hosp, Brough (2); off Brough—7 runs, 7 hits, 21 at bat in 5 innings, off Burns—0 runs, 0 hits, 6 at bat in 2 innings; 2-base hits—[illegible] (2), Bassler, Stow; sacrifice hits—Metzger, Terry, Kuhn; 1st base on called balls—off Love 2, off Brough 1, off Gage 2; hit by pitched ball—Koerner by Love; double plays—Stow to Hosp to Ness; Terry to Metzger to Koerner; wild pitch—Gage; was responsible for—Love 2, Brough 2, Gage 3; left on bases—Los Angeles 8, Oakland 7; charge defeat to Brough. Time of game—2h. 5m. Umpires—Finney and Guthrie.

FANS WANT "ALEX" TO PITCH OPENER IN BIG SERIES

CHICAGO, Sept. 23. — Every mail is bringing "Pat" Moran, manager of the Philadelphia Nationals, scores of letters urging him to pitch Grover Alexander, the big right-hander, in the first game of the world's series, in which, the writers are convinced, the Philadelphia club will be one of the contending teams.

The Philadelphia club was leading the National league race by five and one-half games when the series with Chicago was started today. Even with such a big lead and the close of the season only a few days away, Moran refuses to admit the flag belongs to his club.

Orval Overall, who is in business in Los Angeles, California, wrote Moran, his old battery mate, a letter of congratulations, and urged him to pitch Alexander in the opener of the series. Another letter from Fitchburg, Mass., Moran's home, contained the following appeal:

"Pat, please pitch Aleck in the first game against Boston."

SCRIBES AND HORSEMEN AT LUNCHEON

President Charles W. Clark of the Golden Gate Thoroughbred Breeders' Association, was host at a luncheon yesterday in the St. Francis hotel to sporting writers of the bay cities. The recent successful exposition meet was reviewed and the future of the sport discussed. The concensus of opinion was that the question of whether California will attempt to restore the thoroughbred will rest largely with the legislature of 1917 which will be asked to establish a state racing commission composed of horsemen and to legalize the pari-mutuel system of wagering. Nothing is likely to be done until then. President Clark, Secretary J. C. Nealon and Captain W. H. McKittrick were among the speakers. H. Cheever Cowdin was toastmaster. The guests included Douglas Erskine, Harry B. Smith, William Neal, Al C. Joy, T. P. Magnigan, Gerald Beaumont, Tommy Laird, Marion T. Salazar, Joseph Murphy, Harry Coleman, Chester J. Smith, Leon Wing, Fred A. Purrer, T. J. Slattery and Fred McMullen.

ST. MARY'S LOSES TO U. C. FRESHMEN

The St. Mary's College varsity football team was defeated by the University of California freshmen eleven yesterday by a score of 6 to 0 in a fast game played on California field. A forward pass, neatly executed by Sappington, Moses and Shea helped score the only goal for the Babes. Maguire's conversion failed. The lineup:

St. Marys—Grate, center; Rountree, right guard; Fallon, right tackle; Ed Guisto, right end; Brandon, left guard; Auton, left tackle; Corrillo, left end; Lutze, quarterback; Fitzpatrick, right half; Moy, fullback; L. Guisto and O'Connor, left half.

P. C. Freshmen—Brown, center; Leask, right guard; Donnelan, right tackle; Shea, right end; Allore, left guard; Gurney, left tackle; [illegible], left end; Sappington, quarterback; Gimball, right half; [illegible], fullback; [illegible], left half.

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PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At San Francisco—Los Angeles 10, Oakland 3.

At Portland—San Francisco 4, Portland 3.

At Los Angeles—Salt Lake 4, Vernon 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs—	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Francisco	102	74	.579
Los Angeles	96	81	.543
Salt Lake	83	83	.500
Vernon	85	86	.497
Portland	79	92	.428
Oakland	77	95	.425

HOW THE SERIES STAND.

Oakland 1, Los Angeles 1.
San Francisco 2, Portland 0.
Salt Lake 1, Vernon 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	91	59	.607
Boston	78	65	.559
Brooklyn	75	66	.535
Pittsburg	70	77	.476
Cincinnati	67	74	.475
St Louis	68	77	.413
Chicago	65	74	.467
New York	65	77	.458

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Pittsburg—Brooklyn 4, Pittsburg 2 (first game). Brooklyn 1, Pittsburg 2 (second game).

At Chicago—New York 3, Chicago 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	95	45	.678
Detroit	93	51	.646
Chicago	81	62	.566
Washington	79	61	.564
New York	64	77	.454
St. Louis	61	82	.427
Cleveland	54	89	.375
Philadelphia	46	100	.286

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At New York—St. Louis 4, New York 2 (first game), St. Louis 3, New York 1 (second game.)

At Washington—Washington 2, Chicago 0.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburg	79	60	.568
Chicago	79	63	.556
St. Louis	77	63	.550
Kansas City	72	67	.518
Newark	71	67	.514
Buffalo	70	71	.497
Brooklyn	69	75	.479
Baltimore	45	98	.315

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At St. Louis—Baltimore 2, St. Louis 4 (first game); Baltimore 0, St. Louis 8 (second game).

At Pittsburg—Buffalo 7, Pittsburg 0.

At Chicago—Newark 4, Chicago 4 (15 innings.

At Kansas City—Brooklyn 3, Kansas City 8 (first game); Brooklyn 2, Kansas City 2 (second game.)

Timely Hitting Wins for Blankenship

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 23.—Well placed hits, coupled with good base-running, gave Salt Lake a 4 to 1 victory over Vernon in the first game of the week's series. A single by Bayliss and a triple by Kane netted the Tigers their only run in the fifth inning. Piercy started the game wild, but tightened up in the last four innings. Score:

SALT LAKE	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	VERNON	AB.	R.	H.	PO.
Quinlan, cf	5	1	3	3	Rader, 3b	4	0	0	0
Shinn, rf	5	3	0	3	Bayless, lf	2	1	1	0
Brief, 1b	2	0	1	10	Kane, cf	4	0	2	2
Ryan, lf	3	0	1	3	Willhoit, rf	4	0	2	2
Gedeon, 2b	4	0	1	2	Purtell, 2b	3	0	2	2
Orr, s	3	0	1	4	Elsberg, 1b	4	0	0	18
Hallinan, 3b	4	0	1	0	Berger, s	3	0	1	3
Lynn, c	4	0	0	2	Mitze, c	4	0	0	3
Williams, p	4	0	0	0	Piercy, p	3	0	0	1
					Spencer	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	4	8	27	Totals	32	1	6	27

Spencer batted for Piercy in the ninth.

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS

Salt Lake	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	—4
Base hits	2	1	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	—8
Vernon	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1
Base hits	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	—6

SUMMARY

Stolen bases—Quinlan (2), Shinn (2), Gedeon (2), Orr, Berger; errors—Purtell (2), Mitze; 3-base hits—Kane; 2-base hit—Kane; sacrifice hits—Shinn, Brief; struck out—by Williams 2, by Piercy 3; 1st base on called balls—off Williams 5, off Piercy 3; runs responsible for—Piercy 1, Williams 1; hit by pitched ball—Brief; passed ball—Mitze. Umpires—Phyle and Brashear. Time of game—1h. 35m.

Ward Has Bad Day and Seals Win Again

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 23.—Ward's error at shortstop allowed San Francisco to win another game from Portland, 4 to 3, although Coveleskie outpitched Couch. Downs scored the visitors only earned run with a two-bagger, after a walk in the fourth. Lober's low throw to second gave the Seals another and Ward's two errors in the sixth further complicated matters for the Beavers. Speas' great running catch of a liner in deep center off Beatty's bat featured. Score:

SAN FRANCISCO	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	PORTLAND.	AB.	R.	H.	PO.
Fitzgrld, rf	4	1	1	3	Lober, cf	4	0	1	1
Schaller, lf	4	0	0	2	Stihwrth, lf	5	1	1	2
Bodie, cf	3	2	1	2	Bates, 3b	4	1	1	2
Downs, 2b	4	1	1	4	Speas, rf	4	0	1	0
Beatty, 1b	3	0	0	11	Stumpf, 2b	4	1	1	0
Jones, 3b	4	0	2	3	Fisher, c	4	0	3	4
Corhan, s	3	0	0	2	Derrick, 1b	3	0	0	10
Sepulveda, c	4	0	0	0	Ward, s	3	0	0	2
Couch, p	3	0	0	0	Coveleskie, p	2	0	0	0
					Krause	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	4	5	27	Totals	34	3	8	27

Krause batted for Coveleskie in the ninth.

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS

San Francisco	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	—4
Base hits	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	—7
Portland	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—3
Base hits	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	3	0	—8

SUMMARY.

Stolen bases—Fitzgerald, Jones (2), Derrick; errors—Schaller, Jones, Lober, Ward (2); struck out—by Coveleskie 3, 1st base on called balls—off Couch 2, off Coveleskie 3; 2-base hits—Lober, Downs, Bodie, Fisher (2); double plays—Bodie to Downs; Jones to Downs to Beatty; sacrifice hit—Beatty; hit by pitched ball—Ward and Derrick by Couch; wild pitch—Couch; runs responsible for—Couch 2, Coveleskie 1. Time of game—1h. 30m. Umpire—Toman and Held.

McCREDIE LANDS FOUR MEN BY DRAFT

Manager McCredie was informed today by Secretary Farrell that three of his four drafts of Eastern minor league players had gone through. Unless some one of the major league clubs has overlooked a draft as in the case of Catcher Rafora last year, McCredie will get Southpaw Cobaret of the Elmira club of the New York State league, First Baseman Quinn of the Syracuse club of the same league and Shortstop Hollicker of the Keokuk club of the Central Association. He is also said to have secured Shortstop McGilligan of the Lincoln club of the Western league.

WHEELMEN TO HAVE DOUBLE MAIN EVENT

Jack Murphy, secretary of the Wheelmen Club, will introduce an innovation to local fight fans on next Wednesday night with two main events. In the first of the double biller, Johnny Nunes will meet Frankie Denny, while in the second Jimmy Ford and Billy Averas will tangle.

The rest of the card follows: Joe Herrera vs. Kid Smiley, Jimmy Duffy, bantamweight champ, vs. Frank Moran; Kid Vierra vs. Young Sylvester, Willie Webb vs. Joe Farrey and Joe Peters vs. Billy Mack.

WHITE SOX DRAFT LYNN.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Sept. 23. — A telegram from Manager Blankenship of the Salt Lake club of the Pacific Coast league who is with the club at Los Angeles, announces that the Chicago Americans have drafted Byrd Lynn, a young catcher. Lynn signed a contract and will join the White Sox next year.

FIVE PITCHERS ARE MASTER WHIFFERS IN THIS LEAGUE

Lefty Williams Increases His Record as Strike-out Monarch.

Aside from the performance of Lefty Williams of Salt Lake in increasing his leadership as strikeout king of the Coast league for 1915, the performances of Fittery of Salt Lake, Ryan of Los Angeles, Coveleskie of Portland and Baum of San Francisco are specially worthy of note in the strikeout records of the past month. This quartet of twirlers cumbed up among the leaders in whiffing batters during the last month and as a result Hughes of Los Angeles who was sixth on the list last month is now tenth on the list of strikeout pitchers.

Lefty Williams could go through the rest of the season without striking out a batter and still finish the season as leading strikeout pitcher of the 1915 season for he is now 80 strikeouts ahead of Fanning, his nearest rival. With five [illegible] Williams has fanned 261 men, this being 50 more than Klepfer of Venice, last year's strikeout king, fanned for the season. Williams is not in the running to break the league record, however, for he would have to fan 23 batters a week for the remaining five weeks in order to pass the mark of 376 strikeouts hung up by Vean Gregg of Portland in 1910.

Among the strikeout leaders up to this week, the first four are ranked in the same order as last month, Fanning of San Francisco being second to Williams with 179 strikeouts; Prough of Oakland is third with 177, and Love of Los Angeles is fourth with 145. Last month Klawitter and Hughes were tied for fifth honors; this month Fittery of Salt Lake has jumped into fifth place with 144 strikeouts; Ryan of Los Angeles is sixth with 133; Coveleskie of Portland is seventh with 134; Klawitter of Oakland is eighth with 130, and Hughes of Los Angeles and Baum of San Francisco are tied for ninth honors, each having fanned 125.

Of these ten leading strikeout pitchers, Fanning of San Francisco has shown the best control in the matter of few walks issued, but Prough of Oakland and Baum of San Francisco are giving him a close run for second honors. Fanning has walked only 55 men in the first 29 weeks of the season; Prough and Baum have each walked 56 men. Love of Los Angeles has issued 119 bases on balls, and Hall of Salt Lake, who has walked 108 batters, is the only other slabster who has passed the century mark in free passes.

Shotputter Pruiett of Oakland is in a class by himself when it comes to hitting batters, having hit 27 opponents. Lush of Portland and Piercey of Vernon are his nearest rivals, each having hit 15 batters. Hughes of Los Angeles has made the most wild pitches, 16; with Hall of Salt Lake the second worst offender with 13. Piercey of Vernon has been the most frequent performer in the balk column, with five false moves called on him.

Following records show total strikeouts, bases on balls, hit batters, wild pitches and balks for each pitcher in the first 25 weeks of the race up to and including games of September 19:

Pitcher.	Club.	SO.	BB.	HB.	WP.	Bk.
Baum, S. F.		125	56	4	5	0
Beer, O.		48	16	5	4	0
Boyd, O.		53	46	4	5	0
Brandt, L. A.		10	18	0	1	0
Brown, S. F.		62	23	2	0	0
Burns, O.-L. A.		47	33	12	3	2
Cavet, S. F.		29	34	2	1	0
Chech, V.-L. A.		63	45	9	5	0
Couch, S. F.		22	31	2	2	0
Coveleskie, P.		134	69	2	5	0
Decanniere, V.		77	55	6	3	0
Evans, P.		70	69	10	7	0
Fanning, S. F.		179	55	9	4	0
Fittery, S. L.		143	89	10	5	1
Fromme, V.		51	36	3	2	0
Gage, O.		3	8	1	1	0
Gilligan, S. L.		7	6	1	0	0
Gregory, S. L.		63	78	13	3	0
Hall, S. L.		89	108	9	13	0
Henley, V.		36	42	11	6	0
Higginbotham, P.		102	95	5	10	0
Hitt, V.		71	49	5	2	0
Horstman, L. A.		6	9	1	1	0
Hughes, L. A.		125	99	13	16	0
Johnson, V.		45	56	6	4	1
Kahler, P.		70	60	6	6	2
Killilay, S. L.-S. F.		38	55	11	2	0
Klawitter, O.		130	87	6	7	0
Krause, P.		90	63	12	2	0
Leverenze, O.		21	14	1	4	0
Love, L. A.		145	119	2	10	0
Lush, P.		105	73	15	7	1
Mitchell, V.		75	39	6	9	1
Munsell, S. L.		8	7	1	0	0
Perritt, L. A.		44	37	6	4	0
Peterson, S. L.		10	8	0	1	0
Piercey, V.		95	82	15	9	5
Prough, O.		177	56	5	5	0
Pruiett, O.		116	98	27	2	0
Reuther, S. L.		17	22	6	0	0
Ryan, L. A.		138	82	9	11	0
Scoggins, L. A.		99	86	7	4	0
Smith, S. F.		63	59	9	8	0
Steen, S. F.		26	8	0	1	0
West, L. A.-S. L.-V		9	26	4	2	0
White, V.		8	11	2	0	0
C. Williams, S. L.		262	90	12	6	0
J. Williams, LA-SL		61	45	8	5	1

W. F. BLASSE SETS WORLD'S RECORD ON KING TARGET

W. F. Blasse broke the world's record on the king target at yesterday's contest arranged by the International Shooting Festival Association at Shellmound park. He scored 223 out of a possible 300 points, thereby beating the old world's record by four points. There are a few more crack shots still to be heard from, but it seems certain now that the diamond gold medal valued at $350, will go to Blasse. He scored 46-42-45-45-45, or a total of 223 out of 300 points. Dr. M. M. Tabber of Los Angeles, won his first point goblet. C. M. Henderson won his second goblet, and festival goblet. J. J. Hunziker of Hartford, Conn., made 69 points on the target of honor and 196 points on the king target. He is one of the high men on the German ring target.

Shooting commenced today at 9 a. m. The following scores were made September 21:

Target of honor—J. J. Hunziker, 69; C. Jansen, 68, C. A. Hefty, 65; G. Larson, 46.

German ring target—J. J. Hunziker, 69-72; T. R. Geisel, 70-72; A. G. Bitterly, 70-71; C. A. Hefty, 69-71; C. Jansen, 69-70; W. G. Hoffman, 69-70; A. Strecker, 64-69; C. M. Henderson, 68-69; A. Hubner, 61.

Point target—C. Jansen, 16-19; A. G. Bitterly, 18; C. M. Henderson, 16; G. A. Pattberg, 14-16; Dr. M. E. Taber, 13-15.

Standard American target—N. J. Jensen, 27-30.

King target—J. J. Hunziker, 33-40-38-45-44, or 196 out of 200 points; G. A. Pattberg, 29-35-36-39-29, or 168 out of 200 points.

Three-inch bullseye target—C. Jansen, G. A. Pattberg, Dr. M. E. Taber, A. G. Bitterly, C. A. Hefty, J. J. Hunziker, A. H. Pape, A. Strecker, W. G. Hoffman, T. R. Geisel, G. Larson, J. Utschig, A. Hubner, N. J. Jensen, J. D. Heise, W. Ehrenpfort.

McLOUGHLIN TURNS TABLES

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 23. — William M. Johnston, national tennis champion, was defeated in an exhibition match here yesterday by M. E. McLoughlin, whom he defeated in the recent national tournament. Two sets were played and in each set the score was 6-4 in favor of McLoughlin.

"BOSS HARRY" IS HAPPY

HARRY WOLVERTON, MANAGER OF THE SEALS, IS NATURALLY ELATED OVER THE PENNANT PROBABILITIES THAT CONFRONT HIS CLUB: BUT HE REFUSES TO CLAIM THE FLAG OR TO PERMIT HIS CLUB TO SLACKEN THEIR PACE UNTIL IT IS ALL OVER.

The second football team at Alameda high has elected Leslie Smith captain and William Vaughan, manager. The schedule for the team is as follows:

September 22—Hayward high, at Alameda.

September 25—Hitchock Military Academy, at San Rafael.

October 1—Oakland second team, at Oakland.

October 5—Richmond, at Alameda.

October 8—Berkeley, at Bushrod.

October 13—Richmond, at Richmond.

October 22—Oakland Tech, at Bay View park.

Alameda high school has a 100-pound rugby team and the smaller boys are no longer kept out of the game. They have been victorious so far, and expect to make a good showing against all the teams they play. Tom Bacon is captain of the team. The games that have been played were with Washington grammar school, of this city, which was defeated, 13 to 3, and Haight grammar school, which was defeated, 3 to 0.

The schedule is incomplete at this time, the only game arranged for being with Oakland Tech, which Alameda will meet at Bushrod park, September 30.

The schedule for the first team at Alameda high to date is as follows:

September 22—Hayward, at Alameda.

September 25—San Jose, at Alameda.

September 29—Open date.

October 2—Palo Alto high, at Stanford.

October 6—Oakland high (league game) at Bay View park.

October 9—Sacramento high, at Sacramento.

October 13—Open date.

October 16 — Berkeley high (league game) at Alameda.

October 20—Open date.

October 23 — Oakland Tech (league game) Alameda.

October 27—Open date.

October 30—Open date.

Lloyd Sutherland, last year Berkeley high school front ranker is making a great name for himself as a member of the Olympic club rugby team. Lloyd has improved wonderfully under the tutelage of Coach Von Manderschied and can now be rated as one of the best hookers in the state. He is fast, has plenty of fight and is as tough as they make 'em. His loss to Berkeley High has been a hard blow.

Besides Sutherland, several local high school boys are playing for the Olympic club this season. Millican, last year O. H. S. front ranker, Leslie Weislander, last season Oakland wing forward, Johnny Muldoon, Berkeley High lock, and Mervin Crow, Berkeley half back, have all gained places on the club team. All with the exception of Crow and Weislander gained places on the Alameda County All-Star team last year. Both have improved wonderfully since last year.

Coach Floyd Brown is having a very difficult time at Stanford in arranging a first team backfield. The aggregation is minus a good full back. West, who held down that position on the Freshmen team last year having failed. Brown is working Art Erb at full, but Art is too valuable a man for that position. The cards can make more use of him at five-eighths or half. Bobby Templeton, a brother of Ric, has been working out at full, but he can't tackle and a fullback who can not tackle is about as valuable as an armless pitcher or a hooker minus his two legs. Frank Walker, the former San Francisco high school boys will probably play at half, while Art Erb and "Wiggles" Swiggart, the former Oakland Hi boy, figure to grab the five-eighths jobs. If Erb is shifted to full, either Townsend or Bacon will grab the job. Captain Danny Carroll will hold down the center-three post, while Joe Urban with either Greve or Dievendorff will take care of the wings.

There will be plenty of excitement among the spectators of the Washington-California battle when the two elevens line up. The colors of the North Pacific Coast institution are purple and gold, and with thhe blue and gold of the University of California, the players will hardly be distinguishable. The rooters will also be difficult to separate. Then again Coach Gil Dobie of Washington has always protested against the numbering of his players. Gil believes in jinxes, etc. It is highly improbable that Dobie's views will be humored this time, for something must be done to make it possible for the spectators to tell the players apart, and the numbering is about the only reasonable way out of it.

Governor Ernest Lester of Washington has written to Graduate Manager Younger of Washington stating that he will be unable to take in the California-Washington game at Berkeley, but will surely be on hand when the two elevens hook up in Seattle.

Klaus, former quarterback of the All-Vallejo team, is attending St. Mary's College and will probably hold down the same position for the Catholic team this season. He is a brainy player, not very husky, but game to the core. Tony Blanco, the former St. Mary's College athlete, will vouch for Klaus as one of the best signal callers produced in the state for many years.

Benny Fitzpatrick, a former Santa Clara College boy, is out for the right half back position at St. Mary's. Fitzpatrick is not only a skillful gridironist, but an Al baseball player as well. With Louis Guisto holding down the other halfback position, and with Klaus at quarter, St. Mary's backfield shapes up as an irresistible combination already.

Stanford's scrum is also in a muddled condition. Bihlman and Rehm, with either Single or Knight are out for the front rank posts. Bihlman and Rehm have the fight and know the game. Single played on the freshmen team last year and is a fine hooker. "Swede" Pettingill, Fisher, Coleman and a few others have been playing at side rank, while Halsted and Scott are fighting it out for lock. Jim Wylie and Braden are almost sure to be the breakaways. All in all, the Stanford scrum is almost 40 percent weaker than last year. The loss of Gard, Willes, Blase, Soper, Phil Clover, and Hall has left a big hole in the Stanford lineup.

100 ATHLETES ENTER SATURDAY'S MEET

Nineteen events are scheduled for the annual Pacific Athletic Association track and field meet which will be staged at the Exposition on Saturday. Over 100 athletes have entered and competition for places figures to be keen. The Olympic Club, winner of the Far Western and A. A. U. championships, will enter a full team, while the University of California and Stanford University have entered teams. The Cards will be represented by fourteen men, while twelve athletes will fly the colors of the Blue and Gold.

Such stars as "Feg" Murray, Reggie Caughey, and Norton will compete for Stanford, while Knapp, Muenter, Arndt and others will show for California. Oliver Millard, the two-time winner of The Tribune marathon, and the premier long distance runner of the Pacific Coast, has entered the five-mile run.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

KEY ROUTES BATTERED.

The Key Routes were outclassed by the fast Broadway Billiards, formerly the Standard Gas, in a one-sided game, 16-4, getting twenty second outs. McClure was taken out of the box in the first inning when two walked and two were scored five runs. The game was featured by the heavy batting of J. Hoorian, Westphal, Deffeyes, Maitland, Boardman and Williams. Kelly Geffen again played a stellar game at third, handling seven chances without a blunder, while Westphal caught a swell game. "Tub" Boardman at second, and Truck at first also played great ball. Score:

KEY ROUTES. | BWAY. BILLIARDS.

	B.	H.	F.		B.	H.	E.
Dempsey 1b	0	1	0	Boardman 2b	1	2	1
Obershaw 2b	1	2	1	W. Jackson ss	1	3	0
Knight 3b	0	0	2	Geffen 3b	3	3	0
Eich lf	0	1	1	Stallmeyer rf	3	1	0
J. Hoorian cf	1	2	0	Westphal c	3	1	0
D. Hoorian ss	0	1	2	Truck 1b	1	1	0
Jensen rf	1	2	0	Hoegah lf	2	2	0
McClure p	0	0	0	Maitland cf	0	2	0
Ese c	0	0	0	Van Meurick p	1	2	0
Abrahamson p	1	1	1	Yeazell rf	1	1	0
Totals	4	10	6	Totals	16	20	3

Struck out—By Abrahamson 7, by Van Meurick 8. Walked—By McClure 2, by Abrahamson 3, by Van Meurick 3. Three-base hits—Geffen, Westphal, Wilkinson. Two-base hits—Boardman, Hoegah, Geffen, Truck, Roth.

BROOKLYNS GET ANOTHER.

By defeating the Nonpareils 6 to 11, Brooklyn's have now four straight games. M. Magnus [illegible] and two singles. Phillips to second and Contrave at short did some pretty fielding. Benzute, Christenson, Camilo and Santos are playing some fine ball. Kid Bullet, the Santa Rosa boy, was in the line-up and played a great game. Score:

NONPAREILS	R.	H.	E.	BROOKLYNS.	R.	H.	E.
Rogers ss	1	1	1	Regeste lf	1	0	0
Gear lf	0	0	0	Phillips 2b	0	0	0
Viveros c	1	0	0	Santos 1b	0	0	0
Nova 3b	0	1	0	Camilo cf	2	1	0
Nethercott 1b	0	0	0	Contrave ss	2	0	0
Spread p	0	0	0	Andrew 3b	0	0	0
Pentzel cf	0	0	0	M. Magnus rf	3	3	0
Lewis 2b	1	1	0	Christenson c	2	2	0
Andrada rf	2	1	0	Bullet p	1	1	0
				Camille p	0	1	0
Totals	6	4	1	Totals	11	8	0

Struck out—By Camille 2, by Spread 2. Walked—By Camille 3, by Bullet 3, by Spread 7. Two-base hits—M. Magnus. Credit victory to Camille—1 hit off Camille in five innings.

FITCHBURG BEATS FRUITVALE.

In an interesting but one-sided game at Fitchburg, the Fitchburg Merchants took the fast Fruitvale Native Sons into camp by a score of 7 to 1. Bartain started the game for the Natives but was relieved by Codde in the third inning after the Merchants had scored five runs and clinched the game. Two runs and seven hits were secured off Codde in six innings. Williams pitched class A ball throughout the game, only allowing six hits and striking out six of the Natives. That boy Lefty Pease, well you should have seen him. Beany Martin with the exception of one bad overthrow, was there, and strong, why he got a two bagger. Turk Sherbourne thought he was bowling as in one time at bat he bowled over two kids with foul drives. Cava was there with his little hit as usual. Conners got two hits. Whelan was in the game all of the time, and held up Williams in fine order. The score:

FITCHBURG.	R.	H.	E.	FRUITVALE.	R.	H.	E.
Hurston cf	2	1	0	Bolesworth lf	0	1	0
Pease 2b	1	0	0	Roberts 2b	0	0	0
Sherbourne 1b	2	3	0	Hamshaw 1b	0	0	0
Welland c	0	0	0	Mulcahy cf	0	1	0
Conners ss	1	2	1	Clark ss	0	0	0
Martin 3b	1	2	1	Smith 3b	0	0	1

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GANG BEDTIME STORIES

Uncle Wiggily and His Collar Button.

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(By HOWARD R. GARIS.)

"Uncle Wiggily, do you want to go for a walk with me?" asked Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the nice muskrat lady housekeeper, of the rabbit gentleman, as she came out on the porch of the hollow stump bungalow one afternoon.

"A walk?" asked Uncle Wiggily. "Well, it all depends on where you are going, Nurse Jane."

"Ha! Hum!" exclaimed the muskrat lady, making believe to be stylish-like, and pretending she had a little cold. "You are getting quite particular, it seems to me, Mr. Longears. Time was when you didn't ask where I was going to walk; you'd come, anyhow."

"Well, you see, I am getting old," spoke the rabbit gentleman. "I don't want to take a walk where the bad old fox or the skillery-scalery alligator will catch me, you know."

"No, I should say not!" said Miss Fuzzy Wuzzy. "But this time I am only going to walk over to the house of Mrs. Wibblewobble, the duck lady. She lives in the next pen to Grandfather Goosey Gander, you know, and I thought maybe you might like to go and see him, while I visited with Mrs. Wibblewobble."

"I will," said Uncle Wiggily. "I'm glad you invited me. I'll go in and put on my Sunday-go-to-meeting clothes, and I'll be with you in two shakes of a lolly-pop, or perhaps sooner."

"I'll wait for you," said the muskrat lady, as she sat down in a rocking chair on the porch of the hollow stump bungalow.

Uncle Wiggily went into his room to get dressed. He took out a clean shirt, and he was just putting in the collar button, to fasten his collar, when, all of a sudden, his paw slipped and down dropped the collar button on the floor: "Plunk, plunk, plinkity-plunk-plunk!"

"Oh, hear!" cried Uncle Wiggily. "Now for some hard work to find it again."

For you know a collar button is the hardest thing in the world to find if you drop it. It is even harder to find than the penny you lose down a crack in the boardwalk, and goodness knows that's hard enough.

Uncle Wiggily got down on his paws and knees to look for his dropped collar button. You might ask me why, being in a hurry as he was, he did not have a second collar button to put in his shirt. But I can't answer that question. I suppose he should have had more than one button, but he did not. I haven't myself, and I don't know anyone who has. And you can't expect a rabbit gentleman to be much better.

Anyhow, Uncle Wiggily began looking for his collar button. He looked under the chairs and table, he looked in the corners and the middle of his room. But he could not find it.

"Aren't you coming?" called Nurse Jane from the porch.

"Oh, dear!" answered Uncle Wiggily. "You had better go on without me, Nurse Jane. Goodness knows how long I'll be finding my lost collar button. Trot along, that's a good muskrat, and I'll come as soon as I can."

"Can't you come without a collar button?" asked Miss Fuzzy Wuzzy.

"No," answered the rabbit gentleman, "It would not be polite and proper to go out without a collar. Of course, if I wore a sport shirt, with a collar like a table napkin that flopped down my back, that would be different. But as it is I must have my collar button."

"All right," answered Nurse Jane. "I'll go along and you come when you can. I'm sorry, but I don't know anything about looking for lost collar buttons or I'd help you."

"Oh, I guess I can find it after a bit," said the rabbit gentleman, hopeful-like and trusting.

So crawling around on his paws and knees he looked all over for the collar button; but it was rather small, and being round, it had rolled when he had dropped it, though where it had rolled Mr. Longears did not know.

"I don't believe I'll ever find it!" he said. "I guess I'll crawl under the bed and look!"

As easily as he could—on account of his rheumatism—Uncle Wiggily crawled under the bed. He looked in the far and near corners, but no collar button could he see. He was just backing out and under the bed when all of a sudden in through the window off the porch jumped the bad old fox.

"Ah, ha!" cried the fox. "This is the time I have you, Mr. Longears! You can't get away now! Ah, ha!"

The fox reached down, grabbed Uncle Wiggily by his hind legs and pulled him out from under the bed. Then the fox held the rabbit by the ears so he could not get away.

"What were you doing under there?" asked the fox.

"Looking for my collar button," answered Uncle Wiggily.

"Well, you needn't bother to look any more," said the fox, "for I'm going to carry you away with me! You won't need collar buttons where we're going!"

"Oh, please don't take me away!" begged the rabbit gentleman.

"Yes, I shall, too!" growled the fox.

"Well," said Mr. Longears, "if you are going to take me away please let me find my collar button and put on a clean collar. I don't want to go out or be taken out, even by a fox, without my collar on. I won't look stylish and proper. Please let me find my collar button, and then you may take me as much as you like."

"Well, all right," growled the fox. "Be quick about it. Hurry up!"

Just then Uncle Wiggily looked down and saw his collar button under the bureau, in a far-off corner.

"I see it!" he cried. "I'll get it—it's under the bureau."

"Oh, ho! No, you don't!" Barked the fox. "I see your game. You want to crawl under the bureau to hide away from me, so I can't get you. I'll crawl under there myself and get the collar button. Then I'll carry you away with me. You stay here until I come out."

So the fox doubled himself up small and crawled under the bureau after Uncle Wiggily's collar button. It was a tight squeeze, and the fox could hardly get under, but he did, finally.

"I have your button," he called to Uncle Wiggily. And his voice sounded far off and down-cellar like, coming from under the bureau. "Now, I'm coming out to get you!"

And then the fox tried to crawl out, but he couldn't. He was stuck under the bureau. Pull and tug as he did, he could not get out. He was in a sort of trap.

"Help! Help!" cried the stuck fox. "Help me out, Uncle Wiggily!"

But do you suppose Uncle Wiggily did? He did not! Leaving the fox stuck there, under the low bureau, Mr. Longears ran out—not stopping for his collar—and called in a policeman-dog who arrested the bad fox and took him off to the circus, where he belonged. And the policeman-dog made the fox give Uncle Wiggily back the collar button.

So the rabbit gentleman was finally dressed stylishly and properly, and he went out for a walk, coming home with Nurse Jane. So we may learn from this that even a mud puddle may be of some use, and if the spelling book doesn't go to sleep on the arithmetic table and bite the geography I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the school teacher.

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MRS. PERCY WALKER, Who Will Pose in the Fashion Show of the Ladies' Relief Society. Fraser, photo.

One of the large receptions of the month will be given on Thursday afternoon, September 30, by Miss Edith Benjamin, who will entertain in honor of her brother's fiancee, Miss Dorothy Fyfe of Burlingame. Over 400 cards have been sent out for the affair and a number of Miss Benjamin's friends will assist in receiving, among them Mrs. Wallace Sabin, Mrs. Charles Pendleton, Mrs. L. F. Jennings, Miss Ramona Allen, Miss Georgia Meredith, Miss Ruth Stark, Miss Beth Stark, Miss Helen Bassett, Miss Margaret Bassett, Miss Helene Bon, Miss Claire Bon and Miss Edith Woodward.

The wedding of Mr. Edward Hewlett Benjamin Jr. and Miss Fyfe, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Fyfe of Burlingame, will take place in the fall and the bride will be a very charming addition to the list of young matrons in Oakland society.

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DINNER POSTPONED.

On account of the illness of Miss Davida Perkins, the dinner at which she was to have been hostess this evening in honor of her brother, Mr. Walter Perkins, and his fiancee, Miss Margaret Warner, has been postponed. It was to have taken place at the home of Miss Perkins' cousin, Mrs. Cleveland Baker, in Piedmont, and will be given there after the Warner-Perkins wedding, when the bridal couple return from their honeymoon. Miss Perkins is confined to the home of her uncle, former Senator George C. Perkins, by an attack of grippe, but will be recovered in time to be an attendant at the wedding on the 28th.

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MRS. BALDWIN TO LEAVE.

Mrs. George Porter Baldwin, who has been spending the summer with her sister, Miss Allene Edoff, and her brother, Mr. Frank Edoff, at their residence in Piedmont, will leave on October 12 for her home in Pittsburg. The family is still in mourning for the late Mr. Edoff and Mrs. Baldwin's visit was a very quiet one. Miss Allene Edoff, who had planned to accompany her sister East, has decided to remain at the family home in Piedmont.

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TO VISIT NEW YORK.

Mrs. H. G. Taft will leave about October 10 for New York, where they will visit relatives. They will remain until Thanksgiving and may decide to extend their stay until Christmas. Miss Chrissie Taft will remain at the family residence in Harrison street in their absence.

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FROM NEW YORK.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey B. Lindsey have been entertaining the former's brother, Mr. L. S. Lindsey of New York, who accompanied Mr. Darwin Kingsley, president of the New York Life Insurance Company, and Mrs. Kingsley on a visit to the Exposition. The Lindseys gave a dinner for the visitors at their home in Claremont Manor, and the party that includes several other prominent insurance men and their wives, enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Kingsley at a dinner at Old Faithful Inn last Sunday evening.

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TEA FOR MISS NASON.

Miss Beverly Nason, whose wedding to Mr. Robert Power will take place October 5, was guest of honor at an informal tea given this afternoon by Miss Gladys Emmons at her home in Alameda. Mrs. Albert Coogan, Miss Charlotte Brush and Miss Ada Nason were among the guests.

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TRANS-CONTINENTAL ROMANCE.

A trans-continental romance that began at Tufts College, Massachusetts, several years ago, culminated in the marriage in Alameda of Miss Alma Bradbury of Boston to Mr. Mark Houghton of Alameda. The bride arrived from the East several days ago and was the guest of friends in Alameda until the wedding, which took place Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Newcomb, cousins of the groom, in Dayton avenue. Rev. C. L. Mears read the marriage service and little Virginia Newcomb attended the bride as flower girl. After a honeymoon in San Francisco the young couple, both of whom are graduates of Tufts College, will make their home on Mr. Houghton's ranch at Earlimart, in Tulare county.

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VISITED BERKELEY.

Mrs. Herbert Hoover, who spent several days with friends in Berkeley, has returned to Palo Alto, where she is the guest of Professor and Mrs. Kellogg. Among those who greeted her in Berkeley were Mrs. Thomas Arthur Rickard and Miss Daisy Polk, who were associated with Mrs. Hoover in relief work in England.

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RECEPTION FOR MISS WALKER.

Mrs. F. F. Jackson will give a large reception Saturday afternoon at her home in Valle Vista ave. in honor of Miss Cornelia Walker, who for many years was a teacher in the State Normal School in San Jose. Any of Miss Walker's former pupils will be cordially welcomed.

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CHARITY BALL PATRONESSES.

The Charity Ball to be given by the "Ladies of Providence," at the Hotel Oakland on Friday evening, October 1 will be a large and brilliant affair. Mrs. Thomas Hogan, president of the society, will be assisted by the following patronesses: Mrs. A. D. Thomson, Mrs. W. S. Palmer, Mrs. L. F. Agnew, Mrs. J. H. Realy, Mrs. E. M. Carlisle, Mrs. Hugh Hogan, Mrs. O. D. Hamlin, Mrs. J. H. Odell, Mrs. C. B. Barton, Mrs. L. A. Hilbourn, Mrs. Peter Crinnion, Mrs. P. N. Hanrahan, Mrs. C. S. Arnold, Mrs. E. J. Tyrrell, Mrs. W. T. Hale, Mrs. Josephine O'Neill, Mrs. J. R. Neylan, Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, Mrs. J. J. Hannifer, Mrs. Elmer Dyer, Mrs. Jos. Durney, Mrs. Carpentier, Mrs. J. E. Morris, Mrs. J. G. Kearney, Mrs. A. K. Theobald, Mrs. Frank Cleaves Sr., Mrs. Charles Foster, Mrs. Henry Lovigan, Mrs. N. A. Ball, Mrs. Pauline Euch, Mrs. J. J. Martin, Mrs. A. B. Stephens, Mrs. John Bowen, Mrs. A. Calderwood, Mrs. John Buckley, Miss Emma Fennessey, Miss Ella Kelly, Miss Eva Stromberg, Miss Williams, Miss Kate Maher, Miss Mollie Harrington and Mrs. C. F. McCarthy.

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LEAVE FOR THE EAST.

Mrs. Giles Easton and Miss Anna Easton left today for New York where the latter will enter school. Mrs. Easton will return the first week of October.

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MR. THOMPSON'S WIT.

The speech made by Mr. Joseph Thompson at a dinner given to Madame Melba at the Bohemian club Monday evening, was the happiest bit of humor that a banquet has provoked in many moons.

Mr. Thompson, who is a member of the Jinks committee at the club, enjoys the responsibility of arranging entertainments for all occasions. It is his business to encourage those members who can sing, to sing, and to see that talent in the club is properly exploited. Principally there are choruses to arrange. Mr. Thompson has found it a more or less simple matter to induce those with voices to sing, but they all want to sing solos. The difficulty is to persuade them to the collective honor of singing in a chorus.

When he was called upon for a speech Monday evening he rose and rather sadly said that since he had been a member of the Jinks committee he had lost all social pleasure in meeting people at the club. It was not whether they were agreeable or charming, but what they could do for the Jinks committee that was foremost in his mind.

"So," continued Mr. Thompson, "my first thought on meeting Madame Melba this evening, was, 'Can she sing, and if so, will she consent to sing in a chorus,'" and through the laughter that followed he proceeded to explain his troubles.

Melba, who has a keen sense of humor, laughed with thorough enjoyment and later sang several songs to her own accompaniment at the piano.

The dinner was planned by Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Landfield and Mr. Richard Tobin, and among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deering, Mr. and Mrs. Francis McComas, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Peixotto, Mrs. Raoul DuVal, Mrs. Vincent Whitney and about thirty others.

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FASHION SHOW PLANS.

The list of those who will pose in the Fashion Show of the Ladies' Relief Society, to be given at the Oakland on October 2, includes some of the most stunning women of Oakland's smart set. In the afternoon the small boys and girls of society will display juvenile fashions, and in the evening there will be every sort of costume for belles and matrons. Those who will wear the gowns include:

Outing costumes—Mrs. Clyinton Walker, Mrs. Jack Valentine, Mrs. Carl Gardner, Mrs. L. R. Webster, Miss Marjorie Mhoon, Miss Elva Ghirardelli, Mrs. Warren Harrold.

Sporting clothes—Riding, Miss Elizabeth Moore and Mrs. William Cavalier; polo, Mrs. Ashley Faull; hunting, Miss Lorna Williamson; golf, Miss Mildred Alden; tennis, Miss Dorothy Taylor.

Tailored costumes—Mrs. George Wilhelm, Mrs. William Thornton White, Mrs. Harry East Miller, Mrs. Kenneth Lowden.

Afternoon gowns and furs—Mrs. Herbert Brown, Mrs. Robert Newell, Mrs. George Greenwood, Mrs. Chas. Hutchinson, Mrs. Charles E. Gilman, Miss Winifred Braden, Mrs. Ned Howard, Miss Dorothy Capwell, Mrs. Walton Moore, Miss Carmen Ghirardelli.

Evening gowns—Mrs. Frank Proctor, Mrs. Harry Knowles, Mrs. Willard Williamson, Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mrs. William de Fremery, Mrs. Fred Sherman, Mrs. Irving Lundborg, Mrs. William Ede, Mrs. Percy Walker, Miss Lilla Nason, Miss Phyllis Lovell, Miss Marion Kergan, Miss Frances Redman, Miss Kathryn Maxwell, Miss Philena Wetmore, Miss Alice Palmer, Miss Georgia Creed.

School girls—Frances Brown, Alice Requa, Elizabeth Magee, Jessie Knowles.

Bridal party—Mrs. James McCandless (Marion Rodolph), bride; Miss Helen Rodolph, maid of honor.

Bridesmaids—Miss Suzette Greenwood, Miss Helen Goodall, Miss Elinor Earl, Miss Katherine Crellin.

Babies, 5 to 8 years—Martha Alexander, Elise de Fremery, Kathleen Fitzgerald, Antoinette Gilman, Helene Lundborg, Harriet Walker, Martha Ransome.

Special costumes—Colonial, Mrs. D. E. Easterbrook; Napoleonic period, Mrs. Frank C. Havens; Persian costume, Madame Ali Kuli Khan.

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FOR BRIDES-ELECT.

Miss Ida Tietzen of Claremont and Miss Viola Minor of Alameda, two of the season's brides-elect, were guests of honor at an informal tea given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Shirley Meserve at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Porter in Alameda.

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TEA FOR VISITOR.

Mrs. Edwin Mastick Otis gave an informal tea yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Octavia Stone of Portland, who will return to her home in the north on Saturday after a visit to Mrs. Gerald Anthony.

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GUESTS AT LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Walter Starr and Miss Ethel Moore were among guests at a luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. Frank Deering in San Francisco in honor of visitors from the East. They were Mrs. John Jay White of Washington and Mrs. Rufus Cuthbert of Colorado. Some of the others present were Mrs. William Denman, Mrs. George Page, Mrs. Garrett McEnerney, Mrs. Harry Webb of New York and Mrs. Herbert Hooven, who shares honors of the occasion.

Dr. J. F. McMath, Dentist, moved to Thompson Building, 17th and Broadway, Oakland.—Advertisement.

'Aid to Romance' Given Thespians

'College Hero' Cast Has Hotel Freedom

For days the corridors of the Hotel Oakland have been thick with pretty girls and sturdy young men hurrying somewhere. Investigation reveals that they hurry to rehearsals of the "College Hero" that are held in the ballroom, the blue room, the northeast room and other rooms.

Afternoons and evenings they pass in gay laughing groups through the arcades. Someone asked Manager Carl Sword why he so generously placed most of the facilities of the big hotel at the disposal of the amateur thespians, and Mr. Sword explained. There was romance in the explanation.

It was during rehearsals for an amateur musical extravaganza, "Professor Napoleon," in San Francisco a few years ago that Mr. Sword met the present Mrs. Sword, and their engagement was a result of the rehearsals held at the St. Francis when Mr. Sword was assistant manager of the big hostelry across the bay.

The several hundred pretty girls and young men who made "Professor Napoleon" a success passed as gaily and frequently through the St. Francis corridors as those who will make the success of the "College Hero" at the Auditorium pass through the Oakland. Among the pretty girls was Miss Antoinette Burque, who was especially pretty and charming, and before rehearsals were over, she was engaged to Mr. Sword. Since then the present manager of the Oakland has had a prejudice for amateur musical extravaganza and a desire to assist possible romances of rehearsal.

WOMAN FIGHTS POLICE FROM RESCUING MOTHER

By Associated Press.

STOCKTON, Sept. 23.—It required five policemen and several deputy sheriffs to rescue Mrs. M. Henrien, aged 85, from a house in which she has been held for the past six wekse and who was guarded by her daughter, Mrs. Clara Roughner. Neighbors telephoned the police that they believed the old woman was dead. They had attempted to get into the house, but Mrs. Roughner, who is believed to be demented threatened to shoot the first person passing the doorway. The officers by a ruse, succeeded in getting in without being injured. They learned that the woman had lived on condensed milk for six weeks. Mrs. Roughner was sent to the observation hospital and her mother taken to the emergency hospital. The former put up a fierce fight before officers overpowered her.

ALDEN LIBRARY CLUB WILL HEAR OFFICIALS

Mayor John L. Davie and other city officials have been invited to address a public meeting of the Alden Library and Improvement Club in the Emerson school, Fortieth street and Shafter avenue tomorrow evening. Among those down on the program for talks are Commissioner W. H. Edwards, City Attorney Paul C. Morf, E. L. Vander Naiilen and Dr. Carl Walliser. Proposed reduction of taxes will be the topic of discussion. Selections will be given by the school band.

POSTAL CONVENTION RATIFIED.

By Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 23. — Dr. Victorino de la Plaza, president of the Argentine Republic, has ratified the parcels post convention between the United States and Argentina.

The Easiest Way to End Dandruff

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silk and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

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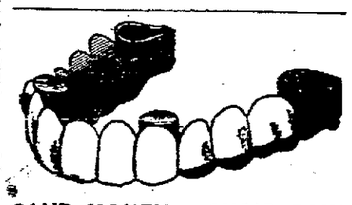

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Society Belle Proves Efficient Truck Driver at the Front

MRS. BARTLETT BODER, New York Society Woman, Who Has Pointed Out Truck Driving As A New Sphere For Women, and is "Chaffeuse" to a French Army Truck At the Front.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23. — The day of the husky truck driver has passed, even as has the horse—with the advent of the automobile truck—and the female of the species has come into her own as the ideal in truck drivers. Incidentally the war proved it.

Mrs. Bartlett Boder, New York society woman, has returned after having served as the driver of an army truck in the French army. There are other women doing it, in fact a whole company of them, she says. Some are officers. It has opened up woman's new opportunity. The heavy coal truck can be controlled as easily by the fair hand of an American suffragette as it can by the big fellow who now sits atop of the load and scrowls at the traffic cop.

And besides—what traffic cop could resist the smile of a pretty truck driver? Who among the bluecoats could be so stern as to halt her on a busy corner?

Mrs. Boder, who is 26, athletic and brave, drove her army truck wherever men drove theirs. For a time she was an ambulance chauffeur. When her car was in trouble she plied monkey-wrench and a screw driver and repaired it.

"I got along all right and so did many other women," she declared. In a few weeks she intends to return to her work at the front.

"The women do whatever ordered, just like the men," she says, "and some have been decorated for bravery. A number have officers commissions. Of course, being an American, I could not get a commission or medal, but I like the work and I've proved that truck driving is open to women, anyhow."

Women in the News

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Mrs. Anna Maslen Vaughan Watson, wife of Henry Winfield Watson, congressman from the Fourth Pennsylvania district, lawyer, financial promoter and financier, was unexpectedly yesterday in a Sixth avenue Surface car.

Mrs. Watson was plainly clad in a black dress and wore no jewelry. The lady was taken to the West Thirteenth street station, where the matron found a score of diamonds and silk tags pinned in various parts of the undergarments. They contained $8,000 in cash and jewels conservatively valued at $40,000.

Over mounted the police officials were gazing at the fortune spread out on a table when Watson entered and made inquiries for his wife, saying she had failed to keep an appointment and he feared some harm had befallen her.

Congressman and Mrs. Watson came to New York early yesterday for a shopping trip. Mrs. Watson had gone to Wall street in the afternoon to attend to some business.

TWO WOMEN HURT IN ACCIDENT

SAN RAFAEL, Sept. 23.—Mrs. Donald Hunter and Miss Violet Blakesley of Mill Valley were thrown from their horses on the San Anselmo road this afternoon and rescued by a pound man.

The two women hired saddle horses for a ride over to San Rafael. The horses, used to the cow trails of the hills, found uneasy footing on the auto-smoothed bitumen of the road, slipped, fell and threw both riders to the ground.

Mrs. Hunter landed on her head. She was unconscious when James Buckley, the pound man, went to the rescue. He took both women in the dog wagon and with the two horses in tow drove into San Rafael.

The women were taken to the San Rafael Hospital, where Mrs. Hunter was revived after two hours of unconsciousness. Both women were able to be sent home by automobile.

WOMAN OF 81 ENTERS NORMAL

FRESNO, Sept. 23.—Mrs. Rachel Sheldon, more than 81 years old, of this city, enolled as a special student in the Fresno State Normal yesterday. Mrs. Sheldon launched into her lecture course this morning with all the enthusiasm of any of her 18-year-old classmates.

Six years ago Mrs. Sheldon had her failing sight restored by an operation. She declares that on the conclusion of her course she will be able to hep those about her for at least twenty-years more.

Friday and Saturday are 'Red Letter' Days for the Careful Shopper

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For wrapping sandwiches for lunches, and of use to the housewife, for wrapping meat or cheese for the refrigerator. Each package contains fifty sheets, 12x18 inches. Regularly 10c the package at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only ..... 4 for 25c

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A large assortment from which to choose. Solid, genuine ebony back, with hand-drawn white bristles. Regularly 25c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 19c

Aqua Ammonia
A household necessity; for softening hard water. Regularly 10c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 7c

Rubberset Lather Brushes
One of the best lather brushes made. The bristles are set in rubber and guaranteed not to come out. A new brush free if they do. Regularly 25c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 17c

Poslam Medicated Soap
The 25c value, regularly 25c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 17c

Odorono Deodorant
The 50c size, regularly 45c at all Owl stores Friday and Saturday only 37c

Jergen's B. & A. Lotion
The 35c size, regularly 25c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 17c

Johnson's Shaving Cream
The 25c size, regularly 20c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 14c

J. & J. Belladonna Plaster
Regularly 15c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only ..... 3 for 25c

Frostilla Liquid Cream
The 25c size, regularly 19c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 14c

Thallett Chocolate Laxative
The 25c size, regularly 20c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 13c

Capillaris Scalp Tonic
The 50c size, regularly 39c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 29c

Dickey Creme De Lis
The 50c size, regularly 35c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 27c

Kirk's Juvenile Soap
Regularly 10c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only ..... 3 for 20c

Two-in-One Shoe Polish
Regularly 10c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 6c

Harrison Four-Day Hair Color
The $1.00 size, regularly 85c at all Owl stores, special Friday and Saturday only 67c

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL HAPPENINGS of DAY in the ISLAND CITY

MISTAKES LAND OF ANOTHER FOR OWN

Roy Young of Berkeley Orders Owner Off of Choice Farm.

BERKELEY, Sept. 23.—The next time Roy J. Young, local capitalist, and Jo S. Mills, manager of the Telegraph avenue branch of the Berkeley Bank of Savings, go looking at country property they suppose they own they will take a geological survey, county map, hydrographic chart, chamber of commerce photographs and automobile road book rather than the word of any local dweller. Accepting the latter just by sheer luck did not get them landed recently in the Placer county bastile.

Young bought a 20 acre ranch some months ago on description near Placerville and, recently touring that part of the State by automobile with Mills, proposed to show the latter his property. Placerville inquiries secured directions to the ranch, which they proceeded to explore.

The prospect surprised Young agreeably. The ranch was far, far better than he expected. There was a comfortable dwelling, well kept barns and a pear orchard in excellent condition. His ire was aroused, however, when he found the place was occupied, and he left a curt note warning the occupant, who chanced not to be at home, to vacate at once. Then with Mills he looked about the place. With a rake they knocked down some of the fruit.

"Have some of my pears," said Young.

"Nice fruit all right," commented Mills. "What'll you take for the place?"

"Five thousand."

"Done! I'll buy it."

Then they caught sight of a man in the dooryard who appeared to be the resident there.

"I don't understand your occupying this place," said Young to him in a tense voice. "I've left a note inside explaining that you will have to vacate my property at once. I've sold it."

"You ain't sold this place," was the surprising reply. "I've occupied this place right on to twenty year and I ain't thinkin' of leaving it, naow, by gosh!"

"Isn't this the old Buck place?" demanded Young as a light began to dawn.

"Buck place nawthin'. That's about two mile down that 'ere road," was the impatient retort.

They came finally to gaze upon the less beautiful Buck property and Mills withdrew from his proposed purchase.

"Those were nice pears," he admitted in a gentle voice.

BRIDES-TO-BE GUESTS AT ALAMEDA AFFAIR

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — Mrs. Shirley Meserve, who is here from the south with her little daughter, and is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Porter, entertained in compliment to Miss Viola Minor, fiancee of Waldemar Westergaard, and Miss Ida Tietzen, whose engagement was recently announced.

There were sixteen of the young matrons and girls from this city and Oakland, and the home was gay with gorgeous specimens of the different shades of dahlias. The afternoon was given to the sewing bags with a few other diversions concluding with a dainty tea, at which the two engaged girls were given cups, especially decorated.

Among those present were the Misses Ida and Hazel Tietzen, Viola Minor, Hazel Foster, Mildren and Anna Dodge, Grace Laynance, Mrs. Frederick T. Anderson (Edith Cramer) of Los Angeles and Mrs. William Rawlings Hogan (Mildred Foster) with a number of others.

MYRON T. HERRICK TO SPEAK AT UNIVERSITY

BERKELEY, Sept. 23. — Myron T. Herrick of Ohio will be the main speaker at the university meeting tomorrow at the University of California. Herrick is a graduate of Oberlin college in Ohio and received his degree from Ohio Wesleyan in 1899. From 1903 to 1906 he was governor of the State of Ohio, and later for a two year period was ambassador from the United States to the Republic of France.

At the present time Herrick is being mentioned as a prospective presidential candidate. In addition to Herrick's address, Professor Gayley of the university faculty, recently returned from Europe, will give a short talk on his travels through the war-ridden country. Music by the university cadet band will complete the program.

TO GIVE TEA IN HONOR OF ALAMEDA BELLE

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — Mrs. Edwin Mastick Otis yesterday entertained with an informal 4 o'clock tea in compliment to Miss Octavia Stone, who is to leave for her home in Portland Saturday after a delightful visit with Mrs. Gerald Anthony, who was formerly a resident of Portland.

Coreopsis and huckleberry made the decoration of the Otis home on Paru street, the brilliant yellow setting off the dainty tea table with its exquisite appointments.

DANCE AT HOTEL.

BERKELEY, Sept. 23. — The first of a series of dances to be given at the Hotel Claremont, will take place this evening. Excellent music will be provided by Miss Fleming and her musicians who have been playing for the Graduate Students' association of the University of California.

The reception committee which will be assisted by Mrs. Keeler and Miss Rothwell of the Hotel Claremont, will include Miss Anna Kohler, Miss Amanda Bennison, Miss Alice Brinskerhoff, Robert Landgrebe and Elmer Wieben. The dance will be under the direction of A. B. Irwin and T. B. Bridges.

RETURN FROM OUTING.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — A party of Alameda Elks has returned from a two weeks' outing, spent at Kyber's in El Dorado county. The party included Henry Martine, A. J. Samuels, William Higby and John H. Lowman. Fishing was enjoyed, with hikes and automobile rides.

Nervous Periodical Headaches

Succumb to Anti-Kamnia Tablets

This trouble commonly called "sick headache," is said to be due to the retention of urea in the system. Often it is stated that a poor condition of the blood is a cause of these headaches, or that it is a nervous condition; and in certain cases, no doubt this is true.

Where treatment is demanded, it is more for the pain than anything else, and Dr. A. F. Schellschmidt of Louisville, has found Anti-kamnia Tablets to give prompt and satisfactory relief. "Rest should be insisted upon" he says, "and the patient should go to bed, darken the room, and all the attendants and family should be as quiet as possible. An emetic will sometimes shorten the attack. The bowels should be kept open with "Actoids"; a hot bath and a thorough rub-down with a coarse towel, often give grateful relief. Two Anti-kamnia Tablets when the first signs appear, will usually prevent the attack. During an attack, one tablet every hour or two will shorten the attack and relieve the usual nausea and vomiting." These tablets may be obtained at all druggists. Ask for A-K Tablets. They are also unexcelled for nervous headaches, neuralgia and all pains.

LASSIE IN TEENS INVENTS DANCE STEPS OF HER OWN

MISS BONNIE HIMES, BERKELEY HIGH SCHOOL GIRL, WHO INVENTS HER OWN DANCES.

BERKELEY, Sept. 23. — To perform dance steps that some one else has devised, that is a matter that requires little talent. But to invent dances yourself, especially when you are still just a young girl in your teens, that is an accomplishment to be glad for.

So Berkeley high school is especially proud of this accomplishment in the person of Miss Bonnie Himes, a student at the school. Several times recently she has presented dances of her own improvisation and won high applause from those who watched. At the local art school, where her sister, Miss Verna Himes displays talent of another kind, she recently gave a highly successful exhibition.

Though equipped for professional work the young student has not yet decided if she will make her debut before the public for some years to come or not. She intends first finishing her high school course and then branching out into the terpsichorean art if prospects are as bright then as now.

The young danseuse has been taught the rudiments of her art by her mother, Mrs. Maude Himes of 1633 Todd street, and already has commenced imparting some of her own information to children anxious to share in her success.

ASKS STUDENTS TO AID SUMMER CAMP

Military Training Needs Support Before Congress, Says Captain.

BERKELEY, Sept. 23. — Strongly urging co-operation from the university students in his effort to secure an appropriation from Congress for the aid of summer military camps, Captain Paul P. Malone of the 2d United States infantry addressed the students in military tactics at the university yesterday during their regular class hour.

Captain Malone's plan would have Congress give to each member of the university taking military, $15 a month to pay expenses. After three month's service the cadet would receive his uniform and a commission to act as officer in volunteer forces organized in time of national danger. The students would have to attend summer camp one summer and the remaining winters would be spent in training at the University of California under salary of $15 monthly.

"Out of the 2600 men in this university," said Captain Malone, "but ten joined the summer military camp this year.

"The first thing you know," he continued, "when over 1,000,000 men are called to arms to defend this country, you'll have at its head a politician who has never seen a soldier before. What the military profession needs most right now is more efficient officers."

He declared the secret of military success to be the ability to "get there the fustest with the mostest men."

BIG CLASS WILL BE CONFIRMED SUNDAY

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — Archbishop E. J. Hanna will administer the sacrament of confirmation to 175 communicants of St. Joseph's Catholic church Sunday next, following the last mass. Besides the clergy of the parish of which the Rev. Bernard Praught is head, there will be clergy from the other parishes on this side of the bay present, who will take part in the confirmation services. There will be special music and many will gather to see the rites administered to the applicants, who will be mainly the children of the parish, who have been preparing during the past weeks under the direction of the priests and the sisters of Notre Dame and their assistants.

ADELPHIANS HEAR ADDRESS.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — "The Origin and Development of the Short Story," was the theme of the talk this afternoon, by Mrs. M. H. Krauth, city librarian at the new book section of the Adelphian club, Mrs. B. C. Brown, curator. Mrs. Krauth has had a long experience as head of the Alameda public library and is an authority on books.

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CAST UPON WATER

Ceremony for Charles Foster, Wife and Son Held Near Gate.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — "And here we cast upon the waters, from whence they came, the ashes of our good friends," declared E. K. Taylor, former mayor of Alameda, when yesterday he made a brief address aboard a launch in the Golden Gate, the occasion being the spreading on the ocean waves of all that remained of Charles W. Foster, his wife, and their son, Charles.

"There could be no prettier or more impressive ceremony," declared Taylor, following the incident. "And particularly is this true in the case of Mr. and Mrs. Foster, who first saw the Golden Gate in 1863, entering the waterway in a ship in which they traveled westward from their home on the Atlantic.

Members of the family, with Taylor, yesterday engaged a launch in San Francisco, went out the Golden Gate to a point on a line between the Cliff House and Lime Point and there held the ceremony just as the tide was ebbing.

EARLY DAY RESIDENT.

The ashes were cast over the water, as were a large number of flowers. Taylor then made a short address, telling of the lives of the departed. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. George Foster of Alameda, Mrs. Kate Foster Marianni of San Francisco, Mrs. Laura Foster Monroe of New York and Taylor. Mrs. Monroe, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Foster, is a noted newspaper and magazine illustrator of the metropolis.

Charles W. Foster came to Alameda in the early days and built the first house erected in this city. He was also the builder of many of the store buildings and other residences, and also erected the Carnegie library. He was a deep thinker and was the author of "The Common Sense of Philosophy, or The Spirit of Psychology," a volume that has been extensively read.

TO RECEIVE DELEGATES ON UNIVERSITY CAMPUS

BERKELEY, Sept. 23.—Faculty members and their wives will be hosts tomorrow, when they entertain delegates to the International Engineering congress at a lawn party in Faculty glade. The purpose of the party is to give the delegates and their families an opportunity of meeting members of the faculty and also to view the beauties of the university campus.

Luncheon and tally ho rides will keep the delegates occupied while music furnished by a Hawaiian orchestra will complete the program. It is expected that several hundred delegates will be present as there are in the neighborhood of 1000 attending the session in San Francisco.

CLUB PLANS LIVELY PROGRAM FOR YEAR

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — Lincoln school Parent-Teachers' association effected a re-organization of the club, with an amendment to the by-laws, which will extend the membership. The work of the year to come was discussed, Mrs. A. G. Wendland presiding and later a social hour was enjoyed with the serving of tea and cakes.

Music was contributed by the pupils of the Lincoln school and was given an enthusiastic appreciation. The club will begin the work with enthusiasm and will give the same support as in the past to the faculty of the school as well as aiding in supplying the funds for the various special activities of the school.

MEDAL OFFERED FOR DEBATERS

Graduate of Alameda High School to Aid Forensic Activities.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — A former student of Alameda high school, and one who was a leader in debating in 1900-1903, has offered to the school two medals yearly, which are to go to the best debaters among the students. This will mean a re-birth of enthusiasm toward debating. The man who is to make the generous awards is Jesse Robinson, an attorney of Oakland.

Robinson proposes to give each year a gold medal to the best speaker, and a silver medal to the next best. At the end of ten years, he expects to establish a foundation fund, which will be used to purchase medals and to aid in other ways the debating in the school. The rules to be followed will be made by Principal George Thompson, a committee to be appointed by him, and Jesse Robinson.

A rally will be held at the school this afternoon, and Robinson's letter will be read to the student body. Several speakers will discuss the necessity of training in public speaking.

FAVORS TRAINING.

Robinson, in his letter, states that he thinks training in speaking before an audience is one of the most essential things to be learned. He feels that debating teaches young people self-reliance, and that every pupil in the high school, no matter how much they dread the thought of appearing before their classmates, should participate in the debates.

Debating, under the direction of Clarence Smith, of the English department, was successful last term. The local debating club defeated Berkeley high, and came up for the semi-finals in the Debating Society of Northern California contest. Smith, who trained the boys, is a well known debater himself, and was able to turn out a really fine team. The semi-finals were lost through the absence of the foremost Alameda debater, who was ill on the night of the contest.

GLAD OF OFFER.

Dr. Thompson is enthusiastic over Robinson's offer and thinks that it will arouse interest among the pupils who have not turned out for debating heretofore. He wishes the girls as well as the boys to compete for the medals, and feels that much good material will be found among the various classes.

COPA DE ORO CHAPTER HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — The first regular meeting of the Copa de Oro Chapter, D. A. R., was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. H. Simonson, 1524 Alameda avenue. A review of the activities of the recent conference was given by the regent, Mrs. Green Majors, and other of the members including Mrs. P. A. Barton, vice-regent, and Mrs. Fred G. Baker with others. The significant ceremonial of the crowning of the liberty bell by the president, General Mrs. William Cummings Story, with a wreath of evergreen, which was the last event of the conference held at the P. P. I. E., was told of with other of the formal ceremonies, "both festive and business. These included a report by Mrs. Majors, of the visit to the Hacienda, the Pleasanton home of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, by a hundred and more of the visiting delegates and local D. A. R.; the luncheon which was held in the board room of the California building, and the formal reception at the Century club.

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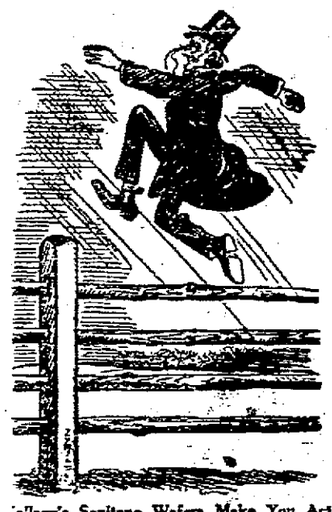

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OPPOSE BARRING SCHOOL CHILDREN

West Berkeley Club Objects to Disease Carriers Being Sent Home.

BERKELEY, Sept. 23. — The West Berkeley Improvement club, of which Assemblyman George Gelder is president, has framed in a resolution the protest recently made by Gelder to the city council against the exclusion of children from schools who are diphtheria or other disease carriers.

The resolutions, adopted at a meeting attended by two score members of the club, recite that such exclusion instills fear in the hearts of the children and causes the parents mental suffering.

GELDER PROTESTS.

Gelder's two children were recently excluded from school on this ground, as well as some nineteen other children. Gelder and Otto Barker, a local merchant, protested to the council. Later Gelder's children were found to have recovered from traces of the disease and were readmitted. The resolution adopted by the club continues as follows:

"Resolved, By the West Berkeley Improvement club as follows:

"First, That this club is now and at all times has been and will continue to be opposed to the compulsory medical examination of the school children and particularly when such children are not sick or diseased.

"Second, that in the opinion of this club whenever it is necessary to examine the school children the parents shall be first notified and instructed to have their family physician return a certificate of good health to the school authorities and that if the same is not then done the health authorities will proceed to do so.

"Third, that if any child is then found to be a carrier of disease, the health board can then enforce such reasonable rules as are necessary, in the premises.

RIGHTS OF PARENT.

"Fourth, that unless a parent is first notified before his child is forcibly examined by a strange person who is the health officer, the parent is denied the constitutional right of choosing his own medical adviser.

"Fifth, that forcible medical examination of public school children is unwarranted and when done over the protests of the child or its parents is battery and as such should not be countenanced in a free country, and be it further

"Resolved, That a copy of this resolutions be sent to the Governor of the State of California, the State Board of Health, the city council, and the school board of the city of Berkeley, and the press."

Fear U. C. Savant Is Lost in Wilds

Wife to Organize Search for J. W. Bridwell

BERKELEY, Sept. 23.—Friends of J. W. Bridwell, formerly a member of the University of California faculty, and Mrs. Bridwell are waiting with anxiety some word of the result of her search for him in Australia. It was at the termination of a trip from Berkeley to Honolulu last spring that Mrs. Bridwell first missed her husband.

In the islands she learned that he had been sent by the Hawaiian territorial government to South Africa to study parasites. After several months with no word from him, she finally received an unofficial communication to the effect that he had touched at Sydney, New South Wales, and had sailed for Perth, on the west coast, starting thence for the interior through the "bush."

After further waiting, Mrs. Bridwell, fearing her husband has met with a mishap, has sailed from Honolulu for Perth. If no word of him is to be found there, she proposes to hire a pack train and attempt to follow the route he took into the interior.

FUNERAL IS HELD FOR FAMOUS INDIAN SCOUT

BERKELEY, Sept. 23. — Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at the Presidio in San Francisco for John F. Lawson, one-time famed Indian scout, whose death occurred at a San Francisco hospital after a long illness. He had resided for several years at 2147 Russel street.

He was a native of Ohio. In the Indian wars in Arizona and New Mexico in 1881 he distinguished himself by bravery in service, receiving merit marks from General Nelson Miles and General A. D. McCook. He enjoyed a national fame at the time for his ability in scouting Indians. Later he served in the Spanish war

He was a Mason and an Elk and a member of Richter camp of United Spanish War Veterans.

OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR PARENT-TEACHER CLUB

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — At the regular monthly meeting of the Mastick School Parent-Teachers' club an election of officers was held with the following members chosen as the executive body of the club: President, Mrs. L. Perata; vice-president, Mrs. Ashley; secretary, Mrs. H. L. Moulthrop and treasurer, Mrs. Douglas Erskine. There was a good attendance and the club took a general survey of the work of the year to come.

Mrs. Perata takes the place of Mrs. Frederick Greenlee, who was made the first president.

Kisses of Co-eds Put Under Glass

Germs Are Shown By U. C. Microscopic Tests

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Sept. 23.—What's in a kiss? This baffling problem, insoluble to genus spinster and bachelor, has at last been expounded. The answer is based on the highest scientific authority and calculated to bring dismay to the votaries of the comulative and impressive art, and joy to the aforesaid frowning minority.

For kisses are composed of millions of germs of various sizes, shapes and forms and are therefore to be tabooed by the hygienically elect. Such is the edict pronounced by women students in the bacteriology department at the University of California, who have been making lip cultures in connection with their study of infection.

Every student made a test of herself and not one of the cultures attained were absolutely free from germs, although in a majority of the cases the germs were quite harmless. Bacilli, which are rod-shaped, and cocci, which are round, were found by millions in the various kisses tested. The length of the kiss, its size and fervour, have nothing to do with its chemical composition and the growth of germs.

The culture are attained by pressing the lips on a solution, prepared in an absolutely sterile manner, of a Japanese sea-weed, known as agar, beef extract, peptone and salt. In a short time whole tribes of bacilli and cocci can be observed under the microscope.

By the same class tests were made on finger bowls, and for the benefit of those who feel especially clean after dipping their fingers into the water, the word was given out that these bowls are found to be a fertile source of infection, as typhoid and colon bacilli thrive luxuriously and may easily be taken to the lips by those who make it a practice of rubbing the water thereon after eating.

SON OF PRESIDENT WHEELER AT HARVARD

BERKELEY, Sept. 23. — Benjamin Webb Wheeler, son of President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California, graduated with the class of last May, has proceeded to Harvard to pursue postgraduate studies there. He was offered a fellowship at Harvard on graduation here, and, at the eastern institution he will pursue studies in the history of religion.

Wheeler expects to have for his roommate H. C. McClelland, a graduate of two years ago and a fraternity brother in Alpha Delta Phi. McClelland was prominent in college newspaper work, and is studying law at Harvard.

LUNCHEON POSTPONED.

The luncheon planned by the Home Missionaries' Society of the First Methodist church has been postponed until some time in October. A meeting will be held next Monday afternoon at the church. The session will be opened at 1:30 o'clock by Mrs. Fred G. Harrison, the president. Recently the organization closed a campaign for members that resulted in the addition of seventy-three names to the roster.

TO HOLD LECTURE.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — Switzerland will be the topic of a lecture and entertainment to be held Friday evening at the Washington school. The pupils will present the program, beginning at 8 o'clock. The proceeds will be used to defray school entertainment expenses.

TO HOLD RALLY.

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — The Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church will, next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, hold its fall rally and promotion in the main auditorium.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

HOTEL OAKLAND—L. Simon, New York; Max Levy, San Francisco; T. O. Hilbaum, Chicago; A. M. Rowley, San Diego; Mrs. J. Gilcrest, Livermore; David Hughes, Lisbon, Tex.; A. H. Wright, San Francisco; Mrs. L. Briggs, Riverside; Mrs. J. W. Wright, Miss A. Wright, Miss Dorothy Wright, Dallas, Texas; D. E. Lundy, Los Angeles; B. G. Goldie, San Diego; J. C. Schulte, New York; Thomas C. Sias, New Jersey; Nathan Klein; M. Michaels, New York; T. W. Nace, Newport; W. O. Pryor, Lynn; R. C. Coulter and wife, San Francisco; C. B. Brown, Pittsburg, Pa.; Fred Green, New York; Genevieve A. Cauzza, Bakersfield; G. B. Lorenz, J. E. Tada, Sacramento; I. W. Watkins, New York; M. B. Heron, Los Angeles; Clement Ripley, Sacramento.

HOTEL ST. MARK—Thomas W. Thompson, Palo Alto; H. Hickham, Fargo, N. D.; C. E. Meagens, Fairmount, N. D.; C. J. Raweke, Lisbon, N. D.; M. B. McGuigan; Davenport, N. D.; M. G. Dial, Fargo, N. D.; W. C. Bender, Wheaton, Minn.; R. B. Gibbons, R. C. Powell, Cando, N. D.; J. W. Bender, Hollister; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnston, Sacramento; Lillian Steele, Chicago; Dorothy Hunke, Phil Rutherford, W. M. Brown, Turlock, Cal.; Teddy Hagen, McDonough theater; M. H. Whitacre, Dixon, Cal.; Dr. A. B. Herrick, Jr., Santa Rosa, Cal.; F. F. Ford and wife, Mrs. Belle Ford and daughter, Oroville; P. Rietkerk, M. Rietkerk, R. Megan, John Verboon, Corcoran; G. Heske, Woodland; L. L. Hopwood, U. S. Army; C. L. Brown, wife and sister, Stockton; F. R. Sailiff, Sacramento; Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Stoddard, La Grande, Ore.; George E. Richards, San Francisco; E. T. Montgomery, San Francisco; Dutch Wolfe, J. R. Ferran, Oakland; H. Jones, Berkeley.

KEY ROUTE INN—R. C. Schsider and wife, New York; N. E. Wilcox, Berkeley; R. Detinis, San Francisco; R. R. Benda and wife, Omaha; R. L. Anderson, Berkeley; C. M. Bradley and wife, San Francisco; Mrs. J. R. Ford, Chicago; E. N. Jones and wife, Chicago; Mrs. W. C. Willets, Stockton; G. Sessions, Oakland; M. A. Phillips, Gridley, Cal.; L. B. Davenport and wife, Goldfield, Nev.; H. Reed, Oakland, Harry B. Engle and wife, Birmingham, Ala.

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STANFORD OFFER REFUSED BY U. C.

Series of Exhibition Games Will Not Be Played, Say Committee.

BERKELEY, Sept. 22. — In reply to Stanford university's invitation to the University of California to participate in a series of exhibition football games, the executive committee of the University of California last night unanimously decided to instruct the secretary to transmit a refusal of the offer, on the ground that the practice games now being played offered a sufficient opportunity to compare the two types of football.

Stanford suggested that two series of games be played on alternate Saturdays, one at Berkeley and the other at Palo Alto. The Olympic club would be the common competitor, the two rugby teams playing the first half and the American teams taking the field for the second period. For the first named reason and for several others not deemed necessary to announce, the executive committee were content to let the present season go as it stands.

Graduate Manager John Stroud submitted his report for the months of June, July and August, showing total receipts to the amount of $17,059.16 as against disbursements to the amount of $15,928.14.

TEA IS HELD FOR DEPARTING VISITOR

ALAMEDA, Sept. 23. — Miss Edith Foster has asked 24 of the young matrons and girls to be her guests at a tea to be given Thursday, September 30, in honor of Mrs. Emil Berndt, of Honolulu, who was Miss Lili Pile, a former local belle and who is visiting here from the islands, at the home of her grandfather, Captain Von Otendorf on Central avenue.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE—DELINQUENT LIST EXTENDING AND OPENING TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET AND WIDENING WEBSTER STREET AND BROADWAY.

Office of the Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, September 22d, 1915.

Public notice is hereby given that default having been made in the payment of the several amounts due upon the real property hereinafter described and assessed thereon for the cost and expenses of extending and opening Twenty-eighth Street in the City of Oakland, California, from Webster Street to Broadway and widening Webster Street and Broadway from Twenty-eighth Street southerly, in accordance with Resolution of Intention No. 7581 N. S., of the Council of the City of Oakland, passed March 4th, 1914, as per report of Commissioners filed with the Clerk of said Council of said City on the first day of June, 1915, and as finally confirmed, approved and adopted by the Council of the City of Oakland, at a meeting of said Council held on the ninth day of July, 1915, by its Resolution No. 11953 N. S.

NOW, THEREFORE I, PERRY F. BROWN, Superintendent of Streets of said City of Oakland, will on the 18th day of October, 1915, at the hour of 10 A. M., in my office, being in the building known as the City Hall, in said City, commence to sell said real property at public auction unless the assessments delinquent, together with the costs of advertising at the rate of fifty (50) cents per lot, piece or parcel of land, separately assessed and advertised as delinquent and percentages are paid, and that I will continue said sale until the whole property herein set forth or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be sold, and that I will sell the smallest quantity of each lot, piece or parcel of said real property that will be taken by any person for the amount of the assessment, percentages and said costs of advertising remaining due and unpaid thereon, together with the sum of fifty (50) cents provided by law for each certificate of sale.

CONDITIONS: Real property will be sold subject to redemption within twelve (12) months from the date of sale by payment to the purchaser or the Superintendent of Streets of said City of Oakland, of the purchase money, and fifty (50) per cent in addition thereto, but if not so redeemed, absolute conveyance of the real property so sold will be made to the purchaser or his assignee, provided notice shall have been given as required by Section 3783 of the Political Code of the State of California, as said section existed on the first day of January, A. D. 1895, otherwise upon the purchaser or his assignee having fully complied with the provisions of said section applicable thereto.

NOTICE: The numbers in the first column denote the several lots, pieces or parcels of land designated by the corresponding numbers upon that certain plat entitled "Plat showing the land to be taken for and district to be assessed to pay the expenses of extending and opening 28th Street in the City of Oakland, California, from Webster Street to Broadway, and widening Webster Street and Broadway from 28th Street southerly, all as described in and in compliance with Resolution of Intention No. 7581 N. S., of the Council of said City of Oakland, passed March 4th, 1914, Oakland, California, ——, 1914," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, on the 13th day of August, 1915, and are respectively the descriptive numbers of each lot, piece or parcel of land upon which the said assessment is delinquent. The names following said numbers are the names of persons designated in said report as the owners of respective parcels of land next herein immediately preceding said names, respectively, and where not known are designated as "UNKNOWN," and the figures following each name and respectively preceded by the sign or abbreviation "$," denote, respectively, the amount of the corresponding assessment made under said assessment proceedings, and including also five (5) per cent added for delinquency and fifty (50) cents cost of advertising.

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Numbers.	Names.	Amounts
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34	Mary Mitchell	11.00
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43	Cecil W. Graham	1.24
44	Jeannette F. Roth	4.49
45	Jeannette F. Roth	1.24
47	Nellie C. Spangenburg	4.18
52	Ida M. Morrill	3.13
53	Ida M. Morrill	1.55
75	Jesse H. Steinhart	105.[illegible]

Oakland, California, September 22d, A. D. 1915. PERRY F. BROWN, Superintendent of Streets and Ex-Officio City Engineer of the City of Oakland.

105—Sept. 22 (3t.)

ORDINANCE NO. —— N. S.

AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE POSITION OF SENIOR CLERK IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY AND FIXING THE COMPENSATION THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows:

SECTION 1. In addition to the places of employment heretofore created in the Department of Public Health and Safety there is hereby created the position of Senior Clerk, at a salary of not less than $1200.00 per year and not more than $1500.00, payable in equal monthly installments.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall take effect October 1st, 1915.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., September 21, 1915. Passed to print for two days by the following vote: Ayes—Commissioners Anderson, Edwards, Jackson and President Davie—4. Noes—None. Absent—Commissioner Raccus—1.

L. W. CUMMINGS, City Clerk.

104—Sept. 22 (2t.)

NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIBILITY.

I, the undersigned, intend to purchase the business known as the Peerless Bakery, located at 3700 E. Fourteenth street, Oakland, Cal., and will in no way be responsible for any debts or obligations contracted thereon by former owners. All outstanding bills must be presented on or before September 25, 1915.

(Signed) E. WEBER (per M.).

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LIVE OAK NO. 61—Friday, Masonic Temple, 12th and Washington Sts.

Scottish Rite Bodies
Cathedral, 15th and Madison sts. Monday, Sept. 27, 1915. 19° and 20°. F. B. Orden and T. W. Morris, presiding.

I. O. O. F.

AAA—PORTER LODGE, NO. 272, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at Porter Hall, 19th and Grove sts. "A Porter welcome" is extended to all visiting brothers. First degree.

GOLDEN RULE ENCAMPMENT NO. 34, I. O. O. F., meets second and fourth Friday evenings, at Odd Fellows' Temple, 11th and Franklin sts.

Knights of Maccabees

OAKLAND TENT NO. 17, membership 920, meets every Monday evening at Maccabee Temple, 11th and Clay sts. G. A. Klein, Com.; J. L. Fine, K. R. 493 9th st.; phone Oakland 5326.

Knights of Pythias

Oakland Lodge No. 103, Pythian Castle, 12th and Alice sts. Entertainment and dance Thurs. eve., Sept. 30. Visiting brothers welcome. R. E. Brayton, C. C.; Jas. Denniston, K. of R. and S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, Paramount Lodge No. 17; Knight rank Sept. 15; meeting every Wed. eve. at 8 o'clock, Pythian Castle, 12th and Alice sts. Visiting brothers welcome. A. H. Ziegler, C. C.; Chas. B. Hood, K. of R. & S.

Knights of Columbus

2d and 4th Wednesdays at Knights of Columbus Hall, 569 12th st.; Jos. A. Kennedy, G. K.; M. D. McGuiness, F. S.

MODERN WOODMEN

OAKLAND CAMP No. 7231 meets every Friday eve. at St. George Hall, 25th and Grove; J. F. Bethel, clerk, 37 Bacon Bldg.

I. O. O. F. M. U.

Loyal Manchester Lodge No. 8058 meets every Tuesday evening Klinkner Hall, 59th and San Pablo. R. L. Caray, Secy.; ph. Elm. 551.

JR. O. U. A. M.

CUSTER COUNCIL No. 22, Junior Order United American Mechanics, meets every Tues. eve. at 1117 Webster st.

L. O. O. M.

OAKLAND LODGE No. 824, LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE meets every Friday night at Moose Hall, 12th and Clay sts. W. J. Hamilton, Secy.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—Heifer calf near Mills College. Phone Fruitvale 1677.

LOST—An open-face enamel watch, with small diamonds set in case; reward will be paid for its return. Address C. F. C., P. O. Box 417, Oakland.

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LOST—Shriner's pin, made on bar for lady's use. Tues p. m.; reward. Return 5928 Mills st.

LOST—Ribbon watch fob, 49th st. bet O. & A. depot and Broadway; lib. reward. D. Brockhurst, Concord, Cal.

LOST—A valuable watch, Sept. 2, bet. Delaware st., Berk., and High st., Ala.; return 1361 Grove; reward.

LOST—Handbag Sunday, Alameda; reward. Return or phone Crescent Hotel, Alameda.

LOST—Gold watch bet. Bay Vista ave. and Technical High School; initials "W. C. L." Phone Piedmont 346.

LOST—Brownie 2A kodak, Sun., 35th ave. or School st., Fruitvale. Pied. 589-W.

LOST—A gold bracelet, with band and pearls. 602 E. 15th st.

PLEASE return parrot found on William st. and receive reward. 571 20th st.

Past Matron's pin, O. E. S., Marietta Chapter, 256, on back; reward. Mer. 876.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A—DOCTORS for men: sores, swellings, discharges, nervous, skin and blood poison our specialty; consultation free. Dr. Hall, 707 Bdwy. (upstairs), nr. 7th.

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WANTED—Reliable young woman for position as telephone operator in San Leandro Exchange; must be resident of San Leandro. Apply to San Leandro chief operator, 133 Estudillo ave., bet. the hours of 8 a. m. and 10 a. m.

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WOMEN solicitors in Alameda Co. wanted; good seller; needed in every household; once used constant repeat orders. Apply 5215 Market st.; phone Pied. 1056.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

A JAPANESE boy wants position as gardener or houseworker morning or afternoon; $25 mo. U. Harry, 1814 Park st., Alameda. Ph. Alameda 1329.

A THOROUGHLY good Japanese handy man wants any kind work by day. Oak. 5288; 1455 Franklin.

A JAPANESE boy wants a position as a plain light house worker. 708 12th st., Oakland.

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CHINESE wants position; cooking and housework. 362 8th st. Phone Pekin 147.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE. (Continued.)

BAKER—Good on cakes, pastry, ornamenting and bread, in country. Box 3451, Tribune.

CHINESE young man, first-class cook, wants position in family. Cong. Chinese Mission, 264 8th st.; Lakeside 3790.

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JAPANESE house cleaning, washing clothes and ironing and all kinds housework. Phone Berkeley 2879.

JAPANESE boy wishes position as janitor in apartment house. P. O. Box 525, Oakland.

JAPANESE boy, aged 24, wants position for washing, ironing and housework in family; experienced. Yama, Berk. 1678.

JAPANESE day worker wants housecleaning, windows, etc.; cooking or waiter. Ph. Oakland 6434.

JAPANESE fancy cook desires situation in private family; has good refs. George, 619 Franklin st. Oakland 6434.

MAN and wife wish position as caretakers; wife a good cook, husband handy man. Address 1600 Vista st., Oakland; F. Taboas.

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VERY fine young Chinese cook; some housework; ref. O. 4405.

YOUNG Japanese desires to work 3 or 4 hours every morning; apt. or hotel preferred. Phone Merritt 3593.

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SITUATIONS WANTED — FEMALE.

A NEAT, strong, competent young Swedish woman, excellent cook, fine housekeeper, good worker, wants cook's position, $40, or general housework $35. 1455 Franklin; Oak. 5288.

A COMPETENT woman wishes position at general housework for adults or small family; can give refs. Phone Franklin 7288, S. F.

A COMPETENT, reliable, middle-aged woman wants position small family; understands nursing; good cook; $25. Oakland 737.

A WELL recommended woman wishes care of elderly person; excellent nurse; assist housework. Phone Merritt 2545.

A [illegible] girl wishes place as first-class cook; best refs.; $45 to $50. Phone Berkeley 5146.

A RELIABLE woman will care for children; 25c per hour. Phone Elmhurst 920.

A NEAT, well-trained second girl wants family; will give good service; ref.; $30 to $35. Oak. 737.

AA—CAPABLE Norwegian girl wants gen. cooking or gen. hswk.; held last position 7 years; $25-$40. Oakland 737.

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WANTED—Position, cooking or housework, any distance, by competent young woman with girl 7. Oakland 1172. Hotel Merritt, 9th and Franklin, room 15.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE (Continued)

AAA—WOMAN wishes a few days or a few half days washing and ironing. Phone Oakland 5628.

A WOMAN wants position; housework, plain cooking; in small family. Box 3391, Tribune.

A NEAT colored girl wants general housework, to come home or stay on place; best ref. Phone Oakland 5426.

A BRIGHT, neat well-trained second girl, best ref., wants 2d work, waiting or chamber work. Oak. 5288.

A SWISS girl wants cooking and some housework in small family; good cook; ref.; wages $35-$40. Phone Alameda 1592.

A CAPABLE woman for cooking and housework. Phone Alameda 3924.

AMERICAN woman wants light hswk. by the week, in Protestant family of 1 or 2 adults. Lakeside 1974.

AAA—HOUSECLEANING, washing, ironing wanted by day. Merritt 225.

A FIRST-CLASS cook; 5 years references. Phone Lakeside 3815.

A NEAT cook wishes a place with housework; wages $30. Phone Oakland 5166.

AAA—LADY wants work by day or half day. Phone Oakland 5819.

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COMPETENT Danish lady wishes work by the day; washing, cleaning or cooking. Phone Merritt 5341.

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JAPANESE woman wishes any kind of work in A. M. or eve.; will make any arrangement. Piedmont 716.

MIDDLE-aged woman wants position as housekeeper for 2 adults; chamber work. 3752 Telegraph.

MIDDLE-aged woman wants chamberwork by day. R. E. D. Box 231, Okld.

NEAT, competent Finnish girl, first-class cook, wants cooking or general work; wages $35 to $40. Lake. 1853.

NEAT colored girl wants work by the hour; can cook. Phone Oakland 3715.

POSITION required for good French second girl; experienced. Oak. 4405.

REFINED, reliable American woman desires position as housekeeper for elderly couple, or in small family; is good cook and seamstress and all-round competent woman; wages according to requirements; best local ref. Box 3378, Trib.

REFINED, middle-aged woman wishes position where she could make herself useful; good cook and seamstress; willing; best of refs.; desire place where she would not be treated as servant; reas. wages. Box 12552, Tribune.

REFINED, educated lady will go out as companion to invalid lady or read by hour. 25c. Phone Lakeside 3545.

REFINED, capable woman, good cook, neat housekeeper, wants position small adult family; $15. Box 12912, Tribune.

REF. girl wishes housework in small family. Apply 1129 25th av.

RELIABLE, colored woman would like day's work. Phone Lakeside 4461.

RELIABLE woman wants work by the day. 2712 Grove st.

STENOGRAPHER, exp. in handling collections, complaints and correspondence, wishes per. responsible position at $80 a mo.; at present employed; two weeks' notice asked. Box 3396, Trib.

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WOMAN wants washing, ironing or housework by hour or day. Phone Oakland 9241.

WANTED—Place to assist with housework and children. Phone Oak. 4850.

WOMAN wants house-cleaning by the day. Phone Oakland 5314.

YOUNG Japanese woman wants cooking; very good cook. 672 E. 17th st.; phone Merritt 571.

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Tomorrow's Exposition Program

9 a. m.—Mining week at Palace of Mines and Metallurgy.
9 a. m.—Interstate First Aid contest for national supremacy, on the Marina.
10 a. m.—International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers' day ceremonies in Court of Abundance.
10 a. m.—American Mine Safety Association drills Auditorium.
10 a. m. and 2 p. m.—International Engineering Congress, San Francisco Civic Auditorium.
12 noon—Southern California Counties week celebration at California building.
2 p. m.—Aeroplane flight by Silvio Pettirossi, from the Marina.
2 to 5 p. m.—Jefferson Davis chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, headquarters at the Maryland building.
3 p. m.—Exposition Engineers' day, ceremonies in Court of Abundance.
7:30 p. m.—Illumination of the exposition begins.
8 p. m.—Concessionaires' ball, California building.
8 p. m.—Convention, American Mine Safety Association. Recital hall, Festival hall.

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AA—ALICE VAN ALLEN, masseuse, 235 Kearny st., room 2, S. F.; sun. till 4.

AA—MME. N. DUMONT, massage, 533 California st., suite 2, S. F.

BATH and massage, 745 Leavenworth, Apt. 3, S. F.; phone Franklin 4842.

BATH with vibratory massage. 539 13th st., Apt. 23, upper floor.

EMMA BARLE—Massage, Swedish movement. 1 33 Sutter, apt. 2, 1st floor, S. F.

ELEC and magnetic trmts. by Amer. lady. 1154 Sutter, S. F.; ers. 10 to 10.

GRACE GARRISON, exper. masseuse, 22 Turk st., nr. Market, office 2, S. F.

HELEN DERBER, massage. 1250 Geary st., San Francisco.

MASSAGE, manicuring, vibrating. 202 Comm. Bldg., 469 14th st., pn. O. 1205.

MISS ADAMS, 2007 Sutter, Apt. 4, near Fillmore, stm. tub baths, mass. S. F.

MISS BURKE—Dr. Moretield's sulphur bath, new system. 1722 Fillmore, S. F.

MANICURING, scalp treatment, oil massage. Miss Lillian, 1553 San Pablo, Apt. 5.

MISS RIVERS—Bath, massage. 116 Turk st., room 15, second floor, S. F.

MISS LOUISE—Alcohol rubs and mas'ge.; manicuring. 464 Turk st., S. F.

M. ROCH, manicuring, hours 10 to 10 p. m. 750 Larkin st., 1st floor, suite 1, SF.

MISS MAUDE CAPPS, masseuse; hrs. 10 to 10 p. m. 787 Market st., S. F., Rm. 164.

MISS F. ROGERS, baths, massage, 229 Westbank Bldg., 530 Market st., S. F.

MISS M. Keller—Baths, massage and scalp treatments. 596 19th st., Apt. 2.

MADAME THEVENET, masseuse, manicurist. 111 Ellis st., Apt. 4, S. F.

MISS FERGUESON—Elec. cabinet baths, 12 Geary st., San Francisco.

NEWLY opened massage, baths; salt, sun, plain, sulphur; lady attendants. 1703 Tel.

GRAIN

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Wheat developed fresh strength today, influenced by chances that supplies here would be inadequate to fill contracts for September deliveries. After opening 1c to 1¼c higher, the market reacted a little but then rose higher than before.

The close was unsettled at 1⅛c to 1⅜@1½c net decline with December at 94c and May at 98⅝c.

Initial quotations for December wheat were 96c to 96⅝c and for May 98⅛c to 98⅜c.

The close was weak and 3c under last night.

Absence of any severe frost prevented corn from responding decidedly to the advance in wheat. The opening, which ranged from ⅛c off to ⅛c up, were followed by slight gains in the deferred options.

Oats sympathized with the wheat strength.

Provisions averaged higher with hogs.

Close—Wheat, Sept., $1.05; Dec., 94c; May, 98⅝c.

Corn—Dec., 55¼c; May, 57c.
Oats—Dec., 31⅝c; May, 37⅞c.
Pork—Oct., $12.35; Jan., $15.10.
Lard—Oct., $8.10; Jan., $8.32.
Ribs—Oct., $8.20; Jan., $8.40.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Corn—No. 2 yellow, 73½@74½c.

Rye—No. 2, 97c; barley, 50@60c; timothy, $3.50@8; clover, $13@18.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

(Copy furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co.)

Option.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—PER BUSHEL.				
September	1.07½	1.09⅛	1.04	1.05
December	.96⅝	.96½	.93⅝	.94
May	.98¼	.98½	.96⅛	.95⅝
CORN—PER BUSHEL.				
September	.71⅝	.72¼	.71¼	.71¼
December	.66¼	.66¾	.65⅛	.65⅜
May	.57⅝	.47⅞	.57	.57
OATS—PER BUSHEL.				
September	.37⅝	.38	.37⅝	.37⅞
December	.36	.36	.35⅝	.35⅞
May	.37⅛	.38	.37⅛	.37⅜
PORK—PER BARREL.				
October	12.55	12.55	12.45	12.35
December	12.85	12.85	12.77	12.85
LARD—PER 100 LBS.				
October	8.05	8.10	8.05	8.10
January	8.47	8.60	8.47	8.52
SHORT RIBS—PER 100 LBS.				
October	8.00	8.20	8.00	8.20
January	8.30	8.40	8.30	8.40

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—Wheat—Easy, no trading. Barley, steady; December, $1.25¾.

BOSTON STOCK MARKET

(Copy furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co.)

Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Adventure 1½	2	New Arc	9½	9⅝
Ahmeek 95	97	North Butte	29½	29¾
Algomah 2½	2½	Old Colony	5	6½
Allouez 53	54	Old Domin	51	52
Amn Zinc 51⅛	52⅛	Osceola	82	82½
Ariz Com 8⅝	8¾	Quincy	115½	116
Balaklala 3½	3¾	Pond Cr	10½	10⅝
Butte & S 58	58½	Quincy	81	81½
Cal & Ariz 61½	62	Shannon	6½	6¾
Cal & H 540	545	Santa Fe	2¾	3
Centennial 17	19	Shattuck Ar	21½	22
Cop Range 53¾	54	St Marys	51	52
Daly W 2½	2¾	Sup & Bos	2¾	2½
East Butte 11½	12	Sup. Pepper	26¼	27
Franklin 6	6¼	Swift	118	118½
Granby 33½	34	Tamarack	54½	54½
Hancock 16¾	17½	Trinity	3⅞	4
Hedley G 27	29	U S Min	4	4½
Isle Royale 26	27	do pfd	48½	47½
Island Ck 46	47	U S Mach	49¾	50
do pfd 59¾	59½	do pfd	29½	29½
Indiana 5	6½	Utah Apex	3⅛	3½
Keweenaw 2¾	3	Utah Con	2½	2¾
Lake Cop 13½	14½	Victoria	2½	3
Mass Con 10	10¼	Wolverine	57¼	58
Mayflower 3⅞	3¾	Wyandotte	1⅜	1½
Mich Min 2¾	2¾	Winona	3	2½
Mohawk 71½	72	United F	133	133½

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE—OIL

Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Amalg Oil 68.00		Sauer D		75
Coalinga Ctl 19		Section 23		25.00
Junction 68		Sovereign	66	
Monte C		W Coast pf	102.25	
Premier 03				

LOS ANGELES OIL EXCHANGE

Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Amalg O 58.50		Nat Pac	01¾	021
Assoc Oil 47.87	49.87	New Penn	10	
Brook Oil 10		Olinda L	21	26
Central 16		Rice R	1.02	1.09
Enos Oil Co 02½		Section Six	18	
Fullerton	4.00	Union	59.25	60.00
Globe	02⅞	United Oil	17½	
Jade Oil 01¾	03½	W Coast pf	101.00	
Mascot 65		W Union	91.00	
Mid. North 11⅞		W Star	04	05

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Mercantile paper, 3½@4¾ per cent.

Sterling: 60-day bills, $4.67; demand, $4.71; cables, $4.7150.

Bar silver—49¼c; Mexican dollars, 38½c.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds, easy.

Time loans, steady; 60 days, 2½@3 per cent; 90 days, 2¾@3 per cent; 6 months, 3.

Call money steady; high, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 1¾; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾, offered at 2.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Hogs—Receipts, 19,000, slow and 5c above yesterday's average. Bulk, $6.70@7.85; light, $7.35@8.25; mixed, $6.65@8.25; heavy, $6.40@7.80; rough, $6.40@6.60; pigs, $5.50@7.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 3000; firm. Native beef cattle, $6@10.40; western steers, $6.60@8.55; cows and heifers, $2.85@8.25; calves, $7@10.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; steady. Wethers, $5.25@6.25; lambs, $6.25@8.75.

SUN, MOON AND TIDE.

United States Coast and Geodetic Survey Table shows times and heights of high and low water at Oakland harbor (Standard time).

Thursday, September 23.

Sun rose ..... 6:35 | Sun sets 6:07
Full moon ..... September 23, at 1:28 p. m.
Moon's last quarter, October 1, at 1:23 p. m.

September 23 to September 27.

Date	Time	Ft	Time	Ft	Time	Ft	Time	Ft
	AM	LW	AM	HW	PM	LW	PM	HW
23	5:42	-0.9	12.16	4.2	6:15	-1.0	12.21	-3.7
24	6:15	1.4	12:35	6.2	6:56	0.8	....	....
	H.W.		L.W.		H.W.		L.W.	
25	1:21	5.4	6:49	2.0	1:02	6.1	7:37	0.6
26	2:18	5.2	7:19	2.5	1:28	6.0	8:18	-0.6
27	3:17	4.9	7:53	2.9	1:54	5.8	9:03	-0.7

WEATHER FORECAST

Oakland and vicinity—Increasing cloudiness tonight and Friday; light west wind.

Southern California—Fair tonight and Friday; light west wind.

Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin Valleys—Increasing cloudiness tonight and Friday; light southwest wind.

NEWTON PIPPINS MAKE THEIR BOW

The apple offerings were supplemented this morning by the first Newtown pippins to appear this season, and a considerable supply of Jonathans. The latter were quoted at $1 to $1.15 for 4-tier boxes with 4½ tiers selling at 75 to 85 cents. The pippins ranged from 90 cents to $1 for the 4-tier size and from 65 to 75 cents in 4½-tier boxes. Otherwise the fruit market showed little change excepting for the tendency of peaches to weaken and a contrary inclination of grapes to reach a better tone. Receipts of peaches were very heavy and included a consignment of Oregon freestones in wrapped 20-pound boxes, while the grape shipments registered decidedly lighter than for some days. The Oregon peaches were 25 cents cheaper at top, the range dropping to 20 and 65 cents per box. Tokay grapes brought as high as $1 per lug and Rose Perus sold at prices varying from 35 to 65 cents per lug. On account of the lateness of the Western Pacific train this morning the grapes arrived too late to clean up early, according to the commission men, but in spite of this fact there were no declines. A quantity of muscats and inferior seedless stock will, however, have to be disposed of to the distillers for wine, as holders have not been disposed of fast enough.

No vegetable changes whatever were reported, tomatoes and corn remaining firm at yesterday's high figures.

QUOTATIONS.

Apples—Bellefleurs, 3½ and 4-tiers, 85@90c; do, 4½-tier, 50@60c; Rhode Island Greenings, 3½ and 4-tier, 75@90c, do, 4½-tier, 50@60c; Alexander, 3½ and 4-tier, $1@1.25; red Pearmains, 4-tier, 75@85c; do, 4½-tier, 50@60c; King Tompkins, 4-tier, 75@85c; Jonathans, 4-tier, $1@1.15; do, 4½-tier, 75@85c; Newtown Pippins, 4-tier, 90c@$1; do, 4½-tier, 65@75c. Watermelons—50@75c per dozen.

Cantaloupes—Crates, Standards, 35@90c; Ponies, 65@75c; lugs, Delta Mexs, 85@$1c; Casabas, 30@60c per crate, according to quality; crates, 65@75c; Persian melons, 1½c per pound.

Figs—Black, crates, 65@75c; do, Delta stock, double layer box, 35@50c; red, double layer, 40@50c; white, single and double layer, 25@40c, according to variety.

Strawberries—$3.50@6.

Raspberries—Per chest, $5@7.

Blackberries—Per chest, $4.50@5.50.

Huckleberries—Per lb, 5@6c.

Plums—German prunes, 20-lb boxes, 75@85c.

Grapes—Seedless, lugs, 75c@$1.00, according to quality; do crates, 50@65c; Malaga crates, 50@65c; do lugs, 50@75c; Tokays, 40@$1 in lugs; do crates, 50@65c; Rose Peru lugs, 35@65c; Verdels, in lugs, 50@60c; Muscats, lugs, 75@85c; fancy Muscats, $1@1.25 per lug; do crates, 75c.

Peaches—Freestones, 20-lb boxes, wrapped, 25@40c; lugs, 25@50c; Clingstones, lugs, 40@60c; Oregon Freestones, 20 lb box, 60@65c; Carrier Peaches—65c per box.

Quinces—Lugs, 40@65c.

Bartlett Pears—Fancy, wrapped, $1.25@1.50 per box; do, choice, $1@1.25; lugs, 65c@$1; No. 2, 50@60c; Buerre Hardie lugs, 40@50c; Winter Nellis, per box, $1@1.25; do, 20-lb box, 50@60c; other varieties, 40@50c per lug.

Citrus Fruits—Oranges, per box: Valencias, Sunkist, $4.75@5; fancy, $4.50@4.75; choice, $4.25@4.50.

Grapefruit—Per box, Sunkist and fancy, $4.25@4.50; choice, $4; Budded, $3@3.50.

Lemons—Per box, fancy, Sunkist, $3@3.25; choice, $2.25@2.50; standard $1.50@2; lemonettes, $1.75@1.50; Mexican limes, per case, $4@4.50.

Tropical Fruits—Central Americas and New Orleans bananas, 4c per lb; Honolulu, 4@4½c per lb; cocoanuts, $3.25@3.50; pineapples, $2.75@3 crate, $1@1.50 a dozen, according to size.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, in sacks (Delta), fancy, 55c@$1.25, inferior 50@60c sack; Shins Burbanks, $1.10@1.25 per cental; Arancas, $2@2.25 per sack; Salinas, $1.40@1.60 per cental; Alameda potatoes, 50@60c per 50-lb lug; Merced Sweets, $1.40@1.65 per cental.

Onions—New red onions, 40@60c per sack; new yellow onions, 65@85c per sack; red and yellow, 50@40c per box; Bermuda, 75@85c per box; white pickle onions, 75@85c per box.

Vegetables—Bay tomatoes, 50@75c per lug, green tomatoes, 25@35c per lug; plum tomatoes, red and yellow, 30@40c per 20-lb box; green corn, No. 1, $1@1.25 per sack; do, No. 2, 80c@$1; Half Moon Bay peas, 4@5c lb; San Leandro peas, $1.25 per small sack; Stockton Chili peppers, 20@30c lug, Stockton Bell peppers, 30@40c lug; Sacramento Bell peppers, 35@40c; garlic, 3@8c lb; eggplant, 40-pound lugs, 25@60c; okra, small, 50@65c; cucumbers, 35@50c per lug; pole, wax and Lima beans, 3@3½c per lb; string beans, 3@4c per lb; Italian and summer squash, 55@65c per lug; Gooseneck squash, lugs, 35@40c; Hubbard squash, 65@55c per sack; pickle cucumbers, 3@4c per lb.

POULTRY AND GAME.

Poultry—Per lb fryers, 19@22c; broilers, 20@22c; eastern hens, 18½@19c.

California hens, 15@18c; old roosters, 12@13c.

Per dozen: Old ducks, $4@5; young ducks, $5@8; young Pekin ducks, $5@7.

Belgian Hare—7@7½c per lb.

BUTTER, CHEESE, EGGS

The following are the Oakland quotations established today on the floor of the San Francisco-Dairy exchange. The regular jobbing prices are generally 3c per lb on each square of butter, and 2c per dozen on eggs over these prices:

Grade—	Sept. 21	Sept. 22	Sept. 23
Extras	26½c	28½c	26½c
Prime firsts	25c	25c	25c
Firsts	24c	24c	24c

Eggs—Per dozen, California, fresh, in cases:

Grade—	Sept. 21	Sept. 22	Sept. 23
Extras	32½c	35½c	35c
Firsts	30c	30c	30c
Selected pullets	33½c	33½c	32½c

Cheese, lb, Cal. flat, 15c; do, Isis, 15c; do seconds, 8c; fancy flats, 14c; Young America fancy, 13½c; firsts, 11½c; Wisconsin Daisies, 19½c; Wisconsin Cheddars, 19½c; Oregon Triplets, 13c; Oregon Twins, 13c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—Butter—Fresh extras, 26½c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 35c; pullets, 33½c.

Cheese—New, 11@14c; California Cheddars, 13c; Young Americas, 13½c.

PETALUMA, Sept. 23.—Extra ranch eggs dropped 1 cent yesterday. This brought the local figure down to 37½c. Heavy receipts and competition keen; select pullet eggs held steady at 32c. Poultry and feed prices were cheaper.

SANTA ROSA, Sept. 23.—First grade eggs fell off 1 cent per dozen on the local market yesterday. All dealers paid 37½c per dozen for first grade and 32c for second or pullet-grade eggs, while butter held firm at 26½c per pound.

STOCKTON, Sept. 23.—There were no fluctuations in prices yesterday on the local produce market. Ranch eggs were in good demand, firsts selling for 38c, seconds 33c and pullets 30c per dozen. Farm butter was firm at 37½@38c per pound. Poultry—Hens 13c@14c; fryers, 17@18c; broilers, 20@22c per pound.

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Butter—Higher; creamery, 27@35c.

Eggs—Lower; receipts, 5672 cases; at mark, cases included, 21@24½c; ordinary firsts, 21½@22½c; firsts, 22½@23½c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23—Butter—Steady, creamery extras, 27@28c; firsts, 24½@26½c; seconds, 22½@24c.

Eggs—Irregular; receipts, 5739; fresh gathered extras, 30@32c; extra firsts, 28½@29½c; firsts, 26@27½c; seconds, 23½@25c.

Cheese—Steady; receipts, 992; state whole milk, fresh flats specials, 14½@15c; do average fancy, 14½c.

NEW YORK METAL MARKET

NEW YORK, Sept. 23—The Metal exchange quotes lead 4.30c asked.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23—Copper, firm; electrolytic, 18c. Metal exchange quotes tin dull, 32@32.50c.

NEW YORK CURB QUOTATIONS

(Copy furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Alaska J	11½	11¾	Marconi	2⅞	3
Beaver	30	33	Mason Val	1	2½
Braden	8⅝	8⅞	McKin Dar	22	24
Braden 6s	172	175	Mont Tono	30	32
Butte & NY	2½	2¾	Mitsah Ex	18	22
Cal. Copper	¼	1	Nev Hills	17	20
Chile Cop	17⅝	18¼	Nipissing	7¼	7¼
Colorado	8	12	N Star	11	12
Con. Ariz	⅝	¾	Ohio Copper	1.25	3 14
Con Cop M	1½	2	Pac Gas El	43½	44¾
Ely Con	4	6	do pfd	84	86
El Paso	½	1	Pratt Shar	1¾	2
Emerson P	.12	13	Riker Corp	5¼	5¾
First Nat	2⅝	2⅞	Sterling G	2¼	2½
Fraction	⅝	10	Stewart Min	9	16
Florence	40	45	Utd Verd E	5⅞	6
Greene Can	.28	40	Utd Clg. Sts	2⅝	9⅞
Hollinger	.24	26	W. Pac 5s	25	30
I Blossom	.70	77	W End	.06	62
Int. Petrlm	39½	39⅝	World F	3¾	3¾
Int Motors	.30	33	Yukon	2¼	2½
do pfd	.80	81	Utah Sec	.13	16
umbo Ex	1¼	1¾	Utah Notes	.50	82
Kewanas	.32	41	Dupont	712	720
Kerr Lake	2¾	4	Hercules	405	415
Keystone	3½	4½	Atlas	124	126
La Rose	7-16	½	Rex	54	56
McIntyre	.47	49	Success	85	90

Corn Crop Late In Middle Belt

Cotton Section Reports Weevil Activity

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Over the corn-growing states, including Kansas, Missouri and Illinois and to the northward, the weather was too cool and wet for the rapid maturing and ripening of corn, and large portions of the crop continue late and in danger of frost" says the weekly report of the national weather and crop bulletin.

"To the eastward the continued warmth and sunshine of the past two weeks have afforded ideal conditions for ripening the crop and the crop in those districts is now near maturity, with cutting in progress over the southern portions.

"Over most of the spring wheat region threshing continued with only slight interruption and it is nearing completion in some of the large producing states. In the winter wheat states to the eastward of the Mississippi river the weather favored preparation of the soil for wheat and good progress is reported, some seed having already been sown in the more northern portions.

"To the westward of the Mississippi river, preparations for seeding were less satisfactory, the ground continuing too wet in some sections and too weedy or dry in others. But little wheat has yet been sown and much ground

News of Wedding Surprise to Friends

News of the wedding of Miss Eloise Stovell Willingham to David S. Gast, a wealthy mining man of Arizona, came as a surprise to their friends. No engagement had been announced and only relatives were present at the quiet ceremony on Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hall, in Waverly street. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Alexander Allen of St. Paul's church, where the bride has been a member of the choir. She is a gifted musician who studied abroad and only recently returned from a sojourn in New York. The family formerly resided in Atlanta, Ga.

Gast has extensive mining interests at Goldroad, Ariz., where he will take his bride after a honeymoon in southern California.

HAIR GOODS.

Hairdressing, shampooing, manicuring, hair work. Diehl's, 469 14th St.—Advertisement.

High Tribute Paid to Late Bishop Conaty

By Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 23.—A tribute to the memory of the late Rt. Rev. Thomas J. Conaty, bishop of Los Angeles and Monterey, who died suddenly in San Diego Saturday, was expressed today in a funeral procession which followed the remains from the bishop's residence to St. Vibiana Cathedral.

The cortege, composed of various civic, fraternal and religious organizations, required more than a hour to pass a given point.

MRS. G. T. WELLS ON WAY EAST.

Mrs. Grace T. Wells, of 761 Arlington avenue, Piedmont, is on her way East for an extended stay in Chicago and New York. She will visit a number of places on her trip and will remain in the East for some time.

COLONEL ROUNDLY TROUNCES 'HYPHEN'

"Sinister Brother" Is Label Scored by Former President.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23. — Former President Theodore Roosevelt, writing in the forthcoming number of the Metropolitan Magazine, gives vent to the startling though characteristic opinion that "every man or woman who in the name of peace now advocates the refusal on the part of the United States to furnish arms and munitions of war to those nations who have had the manliness to fight for the redressing of Belgium's wrongs is serving the devil and not the Lord."

Roosevelt is particularly violent in his utterances against the so-called hyphenated Americans. The following are some of the things he says in this remarkable article:

"As for the persons who base their actions upon greed in such a crisis as this, little needs to be said.

"The beef baron or the representative of the cotton interests who wishes to ignore the butchery of our women and children, and the sinking of our ships, by German submarines and to take sides against the allies so that he may make money by the sale of cotton and beef, is faithless to every consideration of honor and decency.

CONDONING MURDER.

"It is entirely fitting that the sheer materialist should in such an issue stand shoulder to shoulder with the professional pacificist, the peace-at-any-price man, and with his sinister brother, the hyphenated American. These men by their actions seek to condone the murder of American men, women and children and the trampling of Belgium into bloody mire.

"They are false to the cause of humanity.

"They come perilously near being treasonable to this country.

"It is hard to decide which is the most abject quality: the greed of the mere materialists or the short-sighted cowardice of the professional pacificist.

"As for the hyphenated American, he endeavors to serve his foreign Fatherland without exposing his own wretched carcass to the danger which would come to him if he served in the trenches beside his fellow-countrymen who have stayed at home—and who at least pretend to no divided allegiance."

BENEFIT CONCERT TO BE BIG EVENT

Accomplished Artists to Aid Music School of Oakland Social Settlement.

The benefit concert to be given Tuesday evening, September 28, for the music school of the Oakland Social Settlement in the ivory ballroom of Hotel Oakland, promises to be one of the notable musical events of the month. Through Mrs. Luella Wager Coplin, who is in charge of the affair, the services of such accomplished artists as the Pasmore string trio, Elias Hecht, flutist, and Mrs. Ella Raddeman Miller, have been secured and these will contribute to an unusually meritorious program. Others who will assist will be Miss Mildred Turner, pianiste; Mrs. Eugene West, pianiste, and Miss Leona and Miss Inez Merchant, vocalists.

The proceeds of the evening are to go toward the support of the music school maintained at 209 Linden street, under the auspices of the Oakland Social Settlement. At this school more than a hundred children of Oakland's little Italy are given training in high-class instrumental music, much to the gratification of the district, as well as to the directors of the settlement. The money is to keep the instruments in condition, to buy music and, if possible, after meeting the expenses attendant on keeping up the school, to buy new instruments.

The list of patronesses which follows includes many of Alameda county society's elect, a number of whom are members of the Settlement directorate:

Mrs. S. T. Alexander, Mrs. Isaac Requa, Mrs. A. A. Moore Jr., Mrs. Anne W. Brigman, Mrs. W. H. Chickering, Mrs. E. H. Gorrill, Mrs. Oscar Sutro, Mrs. Frank Havens, Miss Ethel Moore, Mrs. A. W. Palmer, Miss Charlotte Playter, Mrs. Murray L. Johnson, Mrs. J. B. Richardson, Mrs. John Francis Smith, Mrs. Richard Partington, Mrs. A. L. Cunningham, Mrs. W. W. Briggs, Mrs. E. Lehnhardt, Miss Emma Wellman, Mrs. Louis Tasheira, Mrs. John Farrell, Mrs. E. J. Wagor Jr., Mrs. Chas. Neal, Mrs. J. A. Vandergrift, Miss Ruth Tisdale, Miss Marguerite Black, Miss Ruth Sharon, Mrs. Joseph E. Cowing, Miss Alice Shinn, Mrs. J. P. Potter, Miss Violet Wakefield, Mrs. Vance McClymonds, Mrs. R. A. Leet, Miss Sarah Horton, Mrs. Otto Berger, Mrs. E. H. Garthwaite, Mrs. Frank Martens, Mrs. Hugh W. Hogan, Mrs. A. Kendall, Mrs. M. L. Wurts, Mrs. Theo. Schlueter, Miss Constance Meese, Miss Caroline Hawley, Berkeley Piano Club and Mr. William Shakespeare, F. R. A. M., London.

The program arranged is as follows:

PROLOGUE.

To Music....Schubert
Miss Mildred Turner, accompanist.

PART I.
No Encores.

1. Duet....Selected
Misses Inez and Leona Merchant.
2. Revolutionary Etude....Chopin
Etude Op. 25, No. 2....Chopin
Mrs. Eugene West.
3. Lo! Hear the Gentle Lark....Bishop
Miss Leona Merchant.
Flute obligato by Elias Recht.
4. Pleurez! Pleurez! Mes Yeux...Massenet
Sylvelin....Sinding
La Clumba....Schindler
Miss Inez Merchant.
5. Ach! Mein Sohn (Der Prophet)....Meyerbeer
Gavotte (Mignon)....A. Thomas
Air (Nadeshka)....Goring-Thomas
Mrs. Elle Raddeman Miller.
6. Duet....Selected
Misses Inez and Leona Merchant.

PART II.

1. Suite for Flute and Piano....Selected
Miss Mildred Turner and Elias Hecht.
2. Pastorale....Bizet
Counsel to Nina....Wekerlin
Miss Leona Merchant.
3. Lethe....Boot
Cello obligato, Miss Dorothy Pasmore.
Three Fishers....Hullah
Canzonetta....Rosa
Spinnerliedchen....Reiman
Mrs. Ella Raddeman Miller.
4. Menuett (Berenice)....Handel
Tarantelle....Popper
Miss Dorothy Pasmore.
5. Pace! Pace! Mio Dio (Forza del Destino)....Verdi
Miss Inez Merchant.
6. Allegro Moderato from Trio in B-major....Schubert
Pasmore Trio.
Miss Mary Pasmore, violin; Miss Suzanne Pasmore, piano; Miss Dorothy Pasmore, cello.

MUDDY SCHOOL GROUNDS TO MEET WITH PROTEST

Plans to induce the Board of Education to improve the grounds about the Manzanita school will be formulated this evening at a mass meeting to be held at the school, Twenty-fifth avenue and East Twenty-seventh street, by parents of attending pupils and the residents of the district.

The condition of the grounds, according to C. H. Miller, a member of the Upper Twenty-third Avenue Improvement Club, who will speak tonight, is "a disgrace." "Several times," he said, "the money has been voted to improve them and has been diverted to other purposes. When the rainy season comes on the territory surrounding the school is so muddy that the children have no place to play."

There will be a number of speakers at the rally and a permanent civic organization will probably be formed of the Parent and Teachers' Association with others living in that part of the city, including the Improvement Club members.

DOTSON DIDN'T TESTIFY.

Milo Dotson, who recently agreed before Judge Samuels to pay his wife $10 a month in support until the case brought by her is settled, has denied statements made that he testified in a former hearing. Mrs. Dotson charged failure to provide and claimed that Dotson knew of certain alleged conditions before he married her. Dotson denies he had this knowledge. The case has been continued until November 5.

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Expansion of Export Business Is Theme

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Heads of manufacturing concerns, transportation companies, bankers and representatives of chambers of commerce from all parts of the country gathered here today at the second annual meeting of the National Foreign Trade Council to discuss the question of expanding the export business of the United States. James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel Corporation, presided.

Among those attending the meeting are William H. Booth, vice-president of the Security Trust and Savings Bank of Los Angeles; Maurice Coster, foreign manager of the Western Electric & Manufacturing company, of New York, and Captain Robert Dollar, president of the Dollar company of San Francisco.

LOCAL G. A. R. VETERANS ON WAY TO ENCAMPMENT

Large delegations from the Grand Army posts and Women's Relief corps on this side of the bay are accompanying delegates from other sections of the state who today go to Washington, D. C., to attend the national encampment of the Grand Army. The national convention of the Women's Relief corps will take place at the same time.

Department Commander H. J. Thompson of San Diego and Department President of the Women's Relief corps Mrs. Clara C. Holland will be on the special train.

The delegates from the east bay posts and corps include: George W. Keeler, commander of Lyon post; Elijah Higham, Orson Ellis, Captain L. Stehe and Fred Farwell of Appomattox post; Mrs. Augusta Evers, president of Appomattox Relief corps; Mrs. Sarah J. Farwell of that organization and Mrs. Sarah Hukill of Lyon Relief corps.

BOTH CHARGE DESERTION.

Cornelia Pultz and her husband, Norman C. Pultz, an electrician on the steamship Congress, both decided that they had been deserted, so each sought a divorce. Mrs. Pultz was the first to file a complaint in the Superior Court. She said that her husband had deserted her in June, 1913. Pultz filed a cross-complaint, saying that his spouse had left him in February, 1914. Judge G. W. Nicol of Tuolumne county, sitting for Judge E. J. Brown, this morning awarded the interlocutory decree to the husband.

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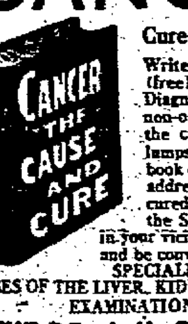

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